

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is rising on the Coast and rain is reported in the interior of this province. Moderate temperatures are reported in the prairies.

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BLOODSHED OCCURS IN CITIES OF INDIA

Hostile Actions of Gandhi's Followers Are Met With Armed Force—Clash at Delhi Results in Two Natives Being Killed and Fifty or More Badly Wounded—Other Serious Disorders

Industry and Trade Now Virtually at Standstill

BOMBAY, India, May 6.—An almost endless list of outbreaks today marked the turning of the imprisoned Mahatma Gandhi's campaign of civil disobedience from peaceful into warlike progress. Bloodshed occurred in a dozen cities where hostile actions of the "Holy One's" followers were met with armed force. The Home and Indian Governments strengthened with troops and armored cars, the hands of local police authorities.

Outstanding among the day's disorders was a clash at Delhi in which two natives were killed and fifty or more seriously wounded. A half-mile procession of Gandhi devotees filed into the city's principal thoroughfare, refusing to disperse at the command of the high police of officials.

SEEK AID OF CAVALRY
With this group the authorities grappled for several hours, finally being obliged to seek the aid of cavalry troops, who emerged this afternoon in control of the situation. Following the Delhi disturbances the police proclaimed a state of martial law under Section 144, forbidding the gathering of more than five persons. Enforcement of this statute throughout India would necessitate mobilization of every available troop, both European and native.

Meanwhile the central figure in this turbulent picture remained remote from strife within the encircling walls of the Poona jail, where, according to latest information, he was both well and cheerful, unimpaired of a steadily increasing assembly of his native adherents, with attendant clashes, almost in the shadow of the prison.

HIS SECOND LETTER
Gandhi's second letter to Viceroy Lord Irwin today was made public. In it the Mahatma said that history's verdict would be that the British, not understanding, had gadded human nature to violence. The most pessimistic observer admitted that today's developments had not been of the seriousness they had expected, although the

Scientists to Work Underground in Kentucky Cave

MONTREAL, May 6.—Two McGill University scientists, Dr. A. S. Eve and Dr. D. E. Keys, of the department of physics, will carry on work underground this summer in the Mammoth Cave of Kentucky, where they hope to perfect methods of averting mine disasters, as well as accumulate data on the penetration of radio waves through rock.

The men hope to devise apparatus that will send signals from far below the surface so that men imprisoned through the mine explosions will be able to indicate exactly where they are and what steps might be best taken for their relief.

From the Colonist Tower

Wednesday, May 7
THE WEATHER
Victoria and Vicinity—Decreasing westerly winds; partly cloudy and warmer.
Sun Rises: 4:45 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 7:33 o'clock.
High Tide: 9:04 a.m., 8.1 feet.
Low Tide: 4:23 p.m., 3.1 feet.

The News
Premier receives delegation regarding beautification of capital.
Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—Premier King tells House of Commons that Ottawa Government will appeal to people this year and election will be held at early date.
Hostile demonstrations by followers of Gandhi in India result in bloodshed.
Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader, scores budget proposals of Liberal regime, and moves vote of want of confidence in present Government.

Conservative candidate in West Fulham wrests seat from Labor Government by majority of nearly 300 in by-election. Thousands are killed in earthquake at Pegu, Burma.

Sports
Athletics go into tie with Cleveland for lead in American League. Yanks lose again. Giants and Cubs chalk up victories.

Jack Dempsey will make return to ring if he can get the shape. Will not fight for money only. Former heavyweight champion declines in exclusive article to The Colonist.
Schelling hits snag when applying to New York Commission for license to fight Sharkey. Ireland advances in Davis Cup net series by win over Monaco.

Another Protest Against Increased Tariff Registered

MONTREAL, May 6.—A resolution protesting against the budget providing to increase the tariff on fruit and vegetables was adopted at a meeting of the Eastern Canada Fruit and Vegetable Jobbers' Association. The resolution states that the increased tariff would be detrimental to the consumers of Canada.

Hang Prisoner; Find Mistake Next Morning

MEXICO CITY, May 6.—Dispatches from the town of Ahualulco, State of Jalisco, yesterday, reported that a posse out hunting for a bandit captured at night a man whom they thought to be the one they sought, and proceeded to hang him immediately in the public square in the nearby town of Tala. The next morning the townsmen of Tala discovered to their horror that the man hanging from the tree in the place was Camilo Garcia, head of the local agrarian commission and a respected citizen. Garcia unfortunately bore a close resemblance to the bandit and had the same name.

CONSERVATIVE WINS TEST IN WEST FULHAM

Sir Cyril Cobb Defeats Opponent by 300 Votes—Wrests Seat From Labor Government

VICTOR RECEIVES LIBERAL SUPPORT

LONDON, May 6.—Sir Cyril Cobb, Conservative candidate in the West Fulham by-election, was elected member of the House of Commons today. He had a majority of 300 over Mr. J. W. Banfield, Labor candidate. The vote was: Cobb, 16,223; and Banfield, 15,983.

This means the Conservatives have wrested a seat from Labor. The election was due to the resignation of Dr. G. E. Spence, Labor member, who was elected at the last general election by a majority of 2,200.

The balance of power was held by Liberal voters, whose candidate at the last election secured 5,900 votes and who did not run a candidate this time. The majority of the Liberals, apparently, voted Conservative.

TRUMP FOR POLICY

The Conservative victory is also a triumph for Lord Beaverbrook and his Empire free trade policy. The newspaper peer had been active throughout the election, and especially during the closing days of the campaign. His hands were considerably strengthened by the Canadian budget brought down by the Hon. C. A. Dunning, Finance Minister, which extended the scope of imperial preference.

Lord Beaverbrook exhorted the voters of West Fulham, and particularly the Liberals, whom he addressed last night, to make May 6 an "Empire Day," and to answer Canada's gesture by electing the Conservative and Empire free trade candidate. "Do you refuse to take the hands of your brothers and sisters overseas?" urged Lord Beaverbrook.

Festival First Day Highly Gratifying To Many Attending

VICTORIA'S fourth annual Musical Festival got away to a good start yesterday by disposing of seventeen of the ninety-eight classes which constitute the week's programme. The attendance was highly gratifying to the organizers, approximately 2,000 people being scattered about the four auditoriums where the competitions were held during the day, and in the evening another big audience crowded into the Metropolitan Church to hear the excellent first-night programme provided by the finalists of the day's events and the additional features, including the delightful organ recital by Dr. Healey William, Mus. Doc., F.R.C.O., Toronto, who is here as one of the adjudicators, and an address of welcome by Mayor Anson. The day was pronounced by all those directly concerned with the undertaking to be highly successful, both musically and financially.

The big event of the evening, in the Festival sense, was the winning by Fairfield United Choir of the Gyro Club Challenge Shield, offered to the best small church choir, rural choir, or choral society. This was very popular, Major Watts being the conductor of the little aggregate of voices. They received 166 marks. His closest competitor was the Shingler Lake Choral Society, which was fourteen points behind, and St. Barnabas Church Choir, dropped into third

place. Major Watts also conducted the Fairfield Choral Society, winner of the Columbia Paper Company's Challenge Shield, his entry being the only one.

THE ADJUDICATIONS
Very great interest centred in the adjudications, which are provoking considerable comment on account of their constructive value to students. The judgments were, on the whole, popular, and the pleasantest.

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Famous War General Is Ill in Paris



PARIS, May 6.—The serious illness of Marshall Joffre, who returned from Southern France a week ago, was made known tonight. The celebrated marshal of France, who is seventy-eight years old, had to be assisted from a train to his automobile when he arrived and gave strict orders that no information be issued of his whereabouts.

EGYPT LOOKS EAGERLY TO LOST SUDAN

Delegation Is Anxious to Prevent Province Becoming Definitely Under British Rule

THREE MAIN PHASES DEBATED

By CONSTANTINE BROWN
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LONDON, England, May 6.—The conversations between the British and Egyptian delegations have ended in deadlock.

The Egyptians, who received their latest instructions from Cairo yesterday, presented to Foreign Minister Arthur Henderson a memorandum last night demanding that the following points be inserted in the treaty pending between Egypt and Great Britain:

1. Final decision regarding administration of the Sudan should be postponed for the duration of the war.
2. Any litigation arising from the treatment of Egyptians in the Sudan should be submitted to the Anglo-Egyptian arbitration court.
3. Equal opportunity for Egyptians to develop the Sudan.

This last point appears to be the most important of all. Under the new irrigation scheme, 1,000,000 acres are to be developed in that territory within the next five years.

The Egyptians are apprehensive that most of that land will be developed by a British company and that British colonization under the protection of the immigration law will thus be intensified.

If the Egyptians do not obtain rights similar to the British they fear that at the end of the treaty, when the Sudanese question is raised again the British will have a strong claim on the province, based on the fact that British economic interests will have become predominant there, and also because the British population will be larger than the Egyptian.

BILL IS RATIFIED

OTTAWA, May 6.—Banking and commerce committee of Parliament today ratified the increasing of the capital stock of the Confederation Life Association from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000. In 1871 the incorporation of the company was affected with capital stock of \$500,000. In 1892 the directors, by resolution, increased the stock to \$1,000,000, but due to an oversight the enabling legislation was not considered complete. The bill passed today was to correct this.

POPULATION OF POLAND 30,700,000

WARSAW, May 6.—The Central Statistics Bureau today reported that the population of Poland on January 1 was 30,700,000, an increase for the year of 468,000.

TORNADOES TAKE TOLL OF DEATHS

DALLAS, Texas, May 6.—Fifty-three persons were believed to have been killed today in a series of tornadoes which hit widely scattered sections of Texas.

FEDERAL ELECTION TO TAKE PLACE IN CANADA THIS YEAR

General Election In Canada Before July 15, Forecast

VANCOUVER, May 6.—Canada faces a general election before July 15, according to a forecast received at the headquarters here of the British Columbia Conservative Association from the party's Ottawa headquarters.

MEMORY OF MARTYRS TO BE HONORED

CARTHAGE, Tunis, May 6.—Catholics from all over the world are assembling at Tunis, ten miles away, today, for the formal opening of the Eucharistic Congress, the main programme of which will be held Thursday and the following three days.

They gathered here, in a Moslem land, to honor the memory of early Christian martyrs, particularly Saint Augustine, Bishop of Hippo. Carthage is a city of ancient ruins, once a citadel of Christianity. Cardinal Lepicier, papal legate a lettere, sent by the Pope, of bringing the monstrance containing the Sacred Host. Six other cardinals, a hundred bishops and thousands of priests and laymen are coming for the five days of religious and inspirational services.

DEDICATION OF STATUE
One of the ceremonies will be the dedication, on the site of the old cathedral of a statue to Saint Augustine, copy of one that stands in Rome, the seaport town to the north, which many centuries ago was Hippo, and where Saint Augustine died.

Catholic Boy Scouts of France, under their leader, General Guise de Saligny, were here for another ceremony to fly their banners on the hill of St. Louis, where died, in 1270, the French King Louis IX.

RECALL HEROSM
Well-preserved ruins of the early Christian era, when Rome and Carthage struggled to be supreme, recalled the trials and the heroism of early Christianity to the tens of thousands of pilgrims. Visualizing the recrudescence of Christianity here, the Monastery of the White Fathers stands as a symbol of the missionary work initiated more than half a century ago by Cardinal Lavergne, whose monks preceded here the French, who established a protectorate over the country in 1881. He had as his dream the restoration of the ancient diocese of Carthage.

Little remains of the ancient town to remind the visitors that thirteen centuries ago the great Christian cathedral with its seven naves, had within it at one time more than 500 bishops, assembled in council.

After the five days of services and ceremonies here, most of the pilgrims will go to Bone, 200 miles northward, on the Mediterranean, to celebrate there the eleventh centenary of the death of Saint Augustine.

Committed for Trial

VANCOUVER, May 6.—Ralph Humphrey, charged with being one of two bandits who held up the Royal Bank of Canada, Oak Street branch, December 24, was committed to stand trial by Magistrate H. C. Shaw in police court today. Humphrey made several outbursts during the hearing. He declared he was innocent. William Selgmund was committed for trial on the same charge a week ago.

His Majesty the King Marks Anniversary of Accession to Throne

LONDON, May 6.—George V by the Grace of God, King of Great Britain and Ireland and the British Dominions Beyond the Seas, Defender of the Faith, and Emperor of India, today celebrated the twentieth anniversary of his accession to the throne. The day was observed, for the most part, quietly. Twenty-one guns in Hyde Park boomed throughout the Empire took up the refrain. Bells of St. George's Chapel, Windsor Chapel and Windsor Parish Hall were rung, and flags were flown from public buildings.

In the morning His Majesty received a number of servants from the London, Windsor and Sandringham staffs and presented them with medals "for long and faithful service." The King arrived at Buckingham Palace from Windsor only yesterday to remain the week, during which his time will be occupied with a variety of State and social functions incident to the London social season.

IS FULLY RECOVERED
The crowd which awaited him at Buckingham Palace entrance saw the monarch looking and apparently fully recovered from the serious illness of the winter of 1928-29. While

at Windsor he was able to enjoy an outdoor life, resuming for the first time since his illness the horseback rides of which he is so fond. The King succeeded his father, Edward VII, termed "The Peacemaker" while there was still peace in the world. He has experienced the most difficult periods of readjustment in his history.

Now, on the twentieth anniversary of his accession, the King-Emperor and his subjects see on the Eastern

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Premier W. L. Mackenzie King Accepts Challenge of Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative Chief, to Battle, and Declares That Government Will Appeal to Electors Shortly

Pandemonium in Commons When Announcement Made

Government Leader Says It Is in Public Interest That Test Be Held at Earliest Possible Date—Asks Support of All Parties in Concluding Present Session Speedily

OTTAWA, May 6.—Canada is faced with a general election. Today, while crowded galleries looked on and a turbulent House alternately cheered and jeered, the challenge to battle was uttered by Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative Leader, in the form of a want of confidence amendment to the budget. Promptly it was accepted by Prime Minister Mackenzie King. The Government, he said, while a noisy chamber was still to hear the momentous announcement, had determined on a general election.

Supremacy of Marquis Wheat Is Challenged

OTTAWA, May 6.—The supremacy of Marquis wheat as the standard of grading for Canadian wheat was challenged in the agricultural committee of the House of Commons today by Mr. A. M. Carmichael (U.P.A., Kindersley). The committee had under consideration the schedule of the new Grain Act defining the different grades of grain.

The schedule defines No. 1 Manitoba hard wheat and No. 1 Manitoba Northern, Marquis wheat or a variety equal to Marquis, while No. 2 Manitoba Northern is defined as "Red Spring wheat of good milling quality" should be applied to the two higher grades. His object was to permit Renfrew, new wheat, being graded as No. 1 Manitoba hard and No. 1 Manitoba Northern.

That was the only indication of the election date which the Prime Minister afforded an eager House today. He suggested that, in order to expedite the work of the session Hon. R. B. Bennett, the leader of the Opposition, and also the leader of the U.P.A. group, Mr. Robert Gardiner, confer with him. By such conference it might be possible to "come to some agreement whereby the business of this present session may be brought to an orderly and speedy conclusion."

CAPITAL CITY IMPROVEMENT CASE HEARD

Premier Receives Representative Gathering Regarding Beautification Project

MEMORANDUM SETS OUT FACTS

The request presented to the Prime Minister of the province by representative citizens and various official organizations in Victoria for a grant towards making the city and its environs more attractive will receive earnest attention.

Dr. Tolmie, who heard the representations late yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, said that the delegation that he was very much impressed with the idea of beautifying the Capital City of the province.

When he promised that the matter would have the very serious consideration of the members of the Government, the Premier said that he did not want the delegation to be disappointed.

THOUSANDS KILLED BY EARTHQUAKE

LONDON, May 6.—A dispatch to The Daily Mail tonight estimated that between 5,000 and 7,000 persons were killed in the earthquake at Pegu, Burma, last night.

The gold weather-vane of the Shwe-Dagun Pagoda at Rangoon valued at about \$125,000, crashed to the ground from the top of its golden tower.

Indians were said to regard the earthquake and tidal wave as punishment for the arrest of Mahatma Gandhi.

In addition to the horrors of the disaster riots broke out last night. Soldiers and police had to subdue demonstrators who stripped foreign cloth from passersby and burned it.

FIRE AND TIDAL WAVE
Fire following the earthquake and the tidal wave destroyed what few vestiges of habitations were left in the Pegu history goes back to 837 A.D.

The immense tidal wave overwhelmed the city without time for warning. Dead and wounded were still being taken from the ruins tonight, and a makeshift hospital camp was giving first aid.

Broken communications and disorganization of public services made

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BOLIVIA AND
PARAGUAY LOOK
TO SETTLEMENTMinisters to Meet in Buenos
Aires and Settle Gran
Chaco QuestionEFFORT TO END
LONG DISPUTEBy JOHN W. WHITE
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BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, May 6.—With the new Bolivian and Paraguayan ministers to Asuncion and La Paz planning to meet in Buenos Aires this week, when their paths cross as they proceed to their new posts, and with a tiny Paraguayan gunboat carefully picking its way through the shallow waters of the upper Paraguay River above Asuncion carrying Uruguayan army officers who are to supervise the exchange of fortifications and Boqueron, Bolivia's new minister to Asuncion, who leaves La Paz Wednesday, and arrives here next Sunday.

Shortly after the ministers' arrival at their posts, it is expected that Bolivia and Paraguay will be arranging for beginning frontier negotiations, both ministers having declared their intention to give their immediate efforts toward final solution of this major difficulty, while the present good will is still fresh. There are indications that direct negotiations may take place in Washington under the observation of representatives of these neutral governments which were represented on the conciliation commission.

Bolivia insists on confining the efforts to direct negotiation; Paraguay believes that a settlement can be reached only with the assistance of friendly neutral governments, and favors submitting the question to arbitration. By negotiating directly, as is now being considered, with the friendly assistance of two governments well informed on the Chaco case as a result of the Washington conference, there seems to be a promising outlook for the definite settlement of this most difficult boundary dispute, which still potentially threatens the peace of the South American continent.

Former Governor of Canada Celebrates



THE Duke of Connaught, son of the late Queen Victoria, and Uncle of King George, celebrated his eightieth birthday while on his vacation in the South of France. The Duke, who was Governor-General of the Dominion from 1911 to 1916, is shown above in three distinct phases of his life. In the center is the Duke when an infant. He is receiving a present from the famous Duke of Wellington as he stands on Queen Victoria's knee, and his father, Prince Albert, can be seen in the background. At the left is a picture of the Duke as he appeared when Governor-General of Canada, whilst at the right he is wearing the robes of a Knight of the Garter.

FESTIVAL IS
PUBLIC GOODMayor Addresses First Evening
Session of Victoria's
Fourth Musical CompetitionLOCAL CONTEST
HAS HIGH PLACE

"I do not know of any public event which gives so much pleasure to so many of our citizens as this musical festival," said Mayor Anson last night in the address of welcome, which he made at the evening session of the first day of Victoria's fourth annual musical festival competition. The proceedings took place in the Metropolitan Church, which was crowded to capacity with a keenly interested audience, many of whom had sat throughout the day in one or other of the several auditoriums where the contests are being held.

"It hardly seems that twelve months have gone by since I had the pleasure of saying a word at the opening of your last festival," the Mayor noted. In beginning his remarks he made feeling reference to the loss which the Festival Association had suffered in the death of their late president, Mr. Watson. It had been his personal privilege to be associated with Mr. Watson in many municipal matters, and he had always found him a man of sterling character and wide municipal vision. He therefore appreciated what a severe loss had been sustained by the organization, for Mr. Watson was deeply interested in the musical festival movement, and had given a great deal of time to promote this and carry on the work with the same energy and enthusiasm. The musical festival movement is an enterprise which has served the highest encouragement and support, both in an official way and from the public at large.

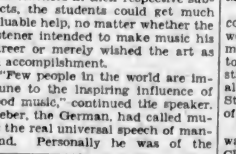
The Musical Festival Association is doing a real public service in promoting the development and inculcating a love and desire for good music in this city and district. It is evident from the sustained support the association has received and the large number of entries for the present festival that its efforts are meeting with complete success," commented His Worship.

Mayor Anson thought that a festival of such nature was of great assistance to those who wished to improve their knowledge of music. By listening to the criticism and advice of the adjudicators, who were, in most instances, among the most able teachers in their respective subjects, the students could get much valuable help, no matter whether the listener intended to make music his career or merely wished the art as an accomplishment.

"Few people in the world are immune to the inspiring influence of good music," continued the speaker. Weber, the German, had called music the real universal speech of mankind. Personally he was of the opinion that it was.

Heart and Nerves
Caused Her to Have
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Miss Gertrude Giles, Relief-Worker in Germany, Addresses Kuntuku On Conditions There

The truly international-mindedness of the Society of Friends was graphically illustrated in the address which Miss Gertrude Giles, a member of the English branch of the organization, who has been engaged in relief work in Germany for the last ten years, gave at the Kuntuku luncheon at Messrs. David Spence's on Monday.

Miss Giles was teaching English in a German school for eight years before the outbreak of the war. She returned to England for her holidays just a day or two before the declaration of hostilities on August 4, 1914, expecting to go back to her duties in Germany in a few weeks' time.

The Society of Friends paved the way for their unimpaired post-war activities in Germany by the relief work which they engaged upon among the 2,000 German children in the Isle of Man, many of whom were married to English wives who had to go to Germany with their husbands and children during the war. The Friends also had much to do with the repatriation of English governesses and other girls who found themselves in Germany at the outbreak of the war.

Something was told about the relief work among the German school children organized by the American Quakers under Arthur Scattergood. At one time the American Quakers were feeding a million children daily in Germany.

"Some of our English critics objected to the Quakers feeding up the young men of Germany so that they would be able to fight England again. But the Quakers, I assure you, had no such intention," said Miss Giles.

Some of the difficulties still encountered in the occupied districts were narrated, and Miss Giles reminded her audience that, contrary to much general opinion, France still had troops in the Maine area, although England and the United States had withdrawn their armies of occupation.

Miss Kate McLaren, the president, was in the chair, and Miss Margaret Clay moved the vote of thanks to the speaker. Miss Wemyss reminded members of the joint meeting of Victoria Kuntuku and Vancouver Business Women's Club members, to take place at Nanaimo May 24 and 25.

PIONEER SUCCESSIONS

VANCOUVER, May 6.—Mr. Edwin J. Galloway, aged sixty-one, pioneer bookstore proprietor, of Vancouver, who came here two years after the fire of 1886, died at 10:15 p.m. Monday in St. Paul's Hospital. He had been ill about two years, and two weeks ago was removed to the hospital.

TABLET DEDICATED

Memorial to Capt. J. R. Francis Unveiled at St. Paul's Garrison Church

A crowded congregation, including military and naval parties, attended the service held at 10:30 on Sunday at St. Paul's Garrison Church, where a burial tablet was dedicated in memory of the late Capt. James Richardson Francis, of Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry. The memorial, erected by his brother officers, is a handsome one of bronze in relief lettering and occupies a place over the warden's chair, once occupied by Captain Francis when he filled the office of rector's warden in the first year of the incumbency of the present rector and chaplain. The warm esteem in which Captain Francis was held by all with whom he was associated was manifested by the various representatives that were present to share in the service of dedication.

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FEDERAL GENERAL ELECTION

There never was a great deal of uncertainty in the minds of the people interested in public affairs that the Premier contemplated dissolution of Parliament and a general election at some date during the present summer. Whatever doubt there may have been upon the matter was partly removed by the Budget Speech. If any doubt still remained it was partly dispelled by announcement that another portfolio was to be created in the Cabinet for the purpose of gratifying the ambition of some eager office-seeker, although there are already more Cabinet Ministers in the King Government than there are in any government of any British country, far more than there are in the government of the United States with a population of about 120,000,000 people.

The fact that the Government contemplated a general election was all but established by promises of public works, by intimations of the construction of railways, by pledges that whatever the Government may have neglected to do in the past for anybody it was now ready to do everything for everybody. Before the Government appeals to the country it is going to right every wrong brought to its attention. Anything that has been overlooked in the budget will be attended to in the administration of the Customs, from the application of "dumping duties" on furniture to the application of "dumping duties" on fruits and vegetables. If the tariff wall is not high enough, there are bricks at hand to make it higher.

But while there is nothing the Premier will not do to win the favor of the electorate and secure votes, he says he is not going to dissolve Parliament because he believes the conditions are favorable to the success of the Government. He is going to ask for the dissolution of Parliament because he believes a general election will be in the best interests of Canada. He wants all the certainty as to the date of a general election removed because doubt as to the date of an election is bad for the business of the country. And he wants a delegation which will attend the Imperial Conference to be held in the Autumn of the year to be representative of a Government which is truly representative of the people of Canada. So instead of clinging to office for another year and a half, as the Government might do, it is going to take occasion by the hand and go to the country almost immediately, the actual date of the election depending upon the disposition of the Opposition to facilitate the business of the dying Parliament and clear the decks for action. The Leader of the Opposition has declared that he will welcome a general election, and so we assume that he will place no obstacles in the way of the desire of the Premier. The people of Canada will welcome a general election, for political uncertainty undoubtedly is bad for the business of the country. So that the last act of the Premier seems to be satisfactory to everybody, whatever the feelings of a majority of the people with respect to nearly all previous acts of the Premier.

A MODERN MIRACLE

Natural historians tell us thousands of years, or it may be millions of years, sped or dragged over the heads of most of the creatures of the lower orders before they succeeded in adjusting themselves to their physical environment and making themselves fairly comfortable upon the face of the earth and in the waters upon the surface of the earth. And we suppose the creatures of the higher order were almost equally long in establishing themselves in the more or less comfortable position they occupy.

Men and women of the present day, if they happen to be of the tribe called politicians of a certain order, can adjust themselves to a new economic position in far less time than thousands of years or millions of years. They can do it in a night, some of them almost in the twinkling of an eye. Yesterday there was scarcely a Liberal Protectionist in Canada from one end to the other. Today all Liberals, possibly with a few exceptions whom we shall hear from later, are all Protectionists. They have all thrown aside and junked their Free Trade garments and garbed themselves in the resplendent robes of Protectionists. Yesterday they were denouncing the vices of Protection and extolling the virtues of Free Trade. Today they are defending the principles of Protection and have nothing to say about the principles of Free Trade. Yesterday they were declaring with one voice that Protection increased the cost of living, upset the balances of trade and produced depression. Today they are proclaiming their conviction that the one thing needful for the stimulation of trade in Canada is protection against the cheap products of the United States. Yesterday they were arguing that higher tariffs were simply higher rates of taxation and higher costs of living. Today they are in favor of higher tariffs, higher taxes and higher costs of living.

We have before us at this moment two copies of one Liberal newspaper, one printed yesterday and the other printed the day before, allowing for the interval between the date of publication and the time required for the papers to reach this coast. The Liberal newspaper of the day before declared that Canada must not be tempted to step into dangerous economic paths for the purpose of venting her spleen upon the United States. The same paper of the succeeding day exulted in the fact that at last Canada had had the courage to strike a blow at Uncle Sam and declared that it served the grasping old fellow right.

Thus within the space of a single day a great political and economic miracle has been wrought. In the natural world the age of miracles has passed. In the political world we appear to have just entered the miraculous period of life. We have lived to see the Liberals of Canada denounce and discard Free Trade and adopt and

laud Protection. We may live to read about the Liberals of Great Britain denouncing and discarding Free Trade and adopting and lauding Protection. For Mr. David Lloyd George is possibly quite as capable of a quick change in his economic garments as Mr. Mackenzie King. The principles of the two leaders are flexible, not fixed and unalterable. The "free traders" are the chief obstacle to an economic revolution in Great Britain—they are many and their influence is powerful. There are "free traders" in Canada, but they are comparatively few, their influence is not powerful, and the neo-Protectionists in the Government can afford to ignore them. When all the nations of the earth, with one exception, have adopted Protection and Free Trade is dead, the nation which fails to adopt measures, not necessarily of aggression but of self-defence, must be seriously handicapped in the battle of trade and commerce. If trade cannot be conducted upon Free Trade principles, it should be possible to conduct it upon Fair Trade principles. When conditions change the law of self-preservation becomes active, and those who shut their eyes to facts and blindly refuse to adjust themselves to circumstances must bear the consequences of their folly.

GANDHI'S DREAM

We sometimes wonder whether the spirit of Gandhi is the spirit of India, a spirit which is not of the modern world, but of a world as old as the political and cultural system of India in medieval times. Gandhi is a dreamer. In his dream he sees the philosophical culture of India threatened by the practical culture and the mechanical culture of the West. He sees the Orient being brought into closer contact with the Occident, and he fears that the result must be the absorption of the ancient cultural system by the modern cultural system.

When Gandhi says India must be freed from the yoke of the oppressor, he seems to mean that an India which is of the world must be taken out of the world and established beyond the influence of the natural forces which dominate the world. He believes that by forcing the British to evacuate India by a policy of passive resistance, he will free the country from what he considers the evil consequences of occupation.

So he takes a vessel used for the purpose of extracting salt out of sea water in one hand and a spinning wheel used for the purpose of making homespun cloth out of native wool under his arm, marches through the country and begins his revolution. This is taken by the ignorant people of India as an intimation that the holy one has ordered them to resist the salt tax and destroy the products of the mechanical looms, to burn machine-made cloths and wear none but hand-made garments, if they wear any garments at all larger than loin-cloths.

That is, everything that is modern in India must be destroyed and India must revert to the condition she was in before she was brought into contact and conflict with the Occident. The people of India prefer leisure to activity. They would rather sit in their mediaeval surroundings and dream than be subject to the restless progressiveness of a world in which competition is the price of success.

Such is the philosophy of Gandhi. Whether it is the spirit of the modern India is another question. It is not that Gandhi condemns the modern. He is a believer in the value of the British. It is that Gandhi believes the spirit of the British is the spirit of the Occident, and he desires to keep India out of the sphere of influence of that spirit. Gandhi has said something that another mystic (Tagore) said before him, that the spirit of the Occident must ultimately destroy itself and ruin the body in which it lives. He therefore wants to save his country from the consequences of its Western connections.

But in the meantime Gandhi, the pathetic figure carrying the salt vessel and the spinning wheel and preaching the doctrine of passive resistance, appears to have been misunderstood by his countrymen, who are not all dreamers. The passive revolution is beginning to take the form of an active and violent revolution. Possibly Gandhi hoped for some movement of that kind when he defied the law and invited arrest. There is a danger that the Orient by violent actions may compel the Occident to like actions. And, whatever happens, India is in the world and of the world and cannot avoid the consequences of her environment.

The world was sad, the garden was wild, and man the hermit sighed—ill woman smiled—Thomas Campbell.

Science is not materialistic, but essentially spiritual or idealistic in its influence—Madame Swetchine.

We are amused through the intellect, but it is the heart that saves us from ennui—Madame Swetchine.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, at 8 p.m., May 6, 1930.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES			
	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	trace	40	53
Nanaimo	—	42	56
Vancouver	—	44	58
Kamloops	—	24	44
Prince George	—	24	38
Estevan Point	—	40	50
Prince Rupert	—	38	48
Atlin	—	28	42
Dawson	—	26	40
Seattle	—	44	52
Portland	—	45	53
San Francisco	—	45	53
Spokane	—	45	53
Los Angeles	—	40	60
Vernon	—	44	57
Grand Forks	—	38	48
Nelson	—	40	47
Calgary	—	38	60
Edmonton	—	32	48
Swift Current	—	38	40
Prince Albert	—	36	44
Qu'Appelle	—	32	40
Winnipeg	—	30	52

Maximum 53
Minimum 41
Average 47
Minimum on grass 40
Minimum on gravel 38
General state of weather, fair, rain, trace, bright sunshine, 10 hours, 48 minutes.

FORECASTS

Victoria and vicinity—Decreasing westerly winds, partly cloudy and warmer.

Vancouver and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and warmer.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.77; wind, N. 12 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.94; wind, SW, 10 miles; clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.78; wind, W, 4 miles; raining.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.76; wind, S, 4 miles; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.06; calm; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.00; wind, NW, 28 miles; clear.

Tatoush—Barometer, 30.00; wind, W, 20 miles; clear.

Portland—Barometer, 30.04; wind, SE, 4 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.00; wind, NE, 6 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.02; wind, W, 14 miles; clear.

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Nanking Armies Between Two Fires, Enemy Morale Shaky in South

By ROBERT D. SWETLAND
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SHANGHAI, China, May 6.—Successes in minor skirmishes in northern Anhwei Province are reported by the Nanking Government, which is tightening its defenses, along the line preparatory to the eastward drive along the Lunghai railroad for the combined armies of General Peng Yu-Huang and General Yen Hui-shan, commanding the Northern Alliance.

Nanking is seriously considering sending a cruiser to Tientsin in an attempt to collect the revenue is considerable owing to the Northern Alliance's seizure of the customs and the salt tax. Nanking feels that it has enough funds on hand to carry on its months' war if necessary, but the present stalemate continues.

Nanking's greatest concern will be the tightening of the administrative machinery before this slips from its grasp. At present the Nanking Government is facing a growing financial situation. Able to direct semiconduct in five and full control in two provinces, General Chiang Kai-shek sees his armies unable to advance northward owing to the increasing serious financial menace in Southern and Central China, and at the same time unable to retreat southward owing to the menace from the Northern armies.

With the Nanking Government's financial situation, Nanking is unable to pay its troops, and the morale of the troops is falling. Nanking is unable to pay its troops, and the morale of the troops is falling. Nanking is unable to pay its troops, and the morale of the troops is falling.

VICTORIANS HOME FROM TOUR ABROAD

British Columbia Should Be More Widely Advertised in Europe, Mr. Hill's Opinion

Arriving home after a four months' tour, which embraced the great ports of the Mediterranean, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill, who have been visiting in Europe, have returned to their homes in Victoria. Mr. Hill said they were all very much pleased with the tour, and that they had seen many interesting places. Mr. Hill said they were all very much pleased with the tour, and that they had seen many interesting places.

Mr. Hill was greatly impressed with the importance attached to the tourist trade in the different countries. He said that the British Government has a special department of the Government with a minister in charge for the encouragement of tourist trade. He said that the British Government has a special department of the Government with a minister in charge for the encouragement of tourist trade.

Liberalism May Endorse Labor Party Nominee

VANCOUVER, May 6.—Possibility of the Liberals of Vancouver South endorsing the candidature of Alderman Angus MacInnes is being discussed. Alderman MacInnes was nominated on Sunday as the independent candidate for party nomination. Many Liberals are said to favor strongly accepting him as the Liberal nominee also.

The ultimate decision will be left to the voters. The Liberals of Vancouver South are said to favor strongly accepting him as the Liberal nominee also.

Mrs. M. A. Glover Dies at Burnaby

VANCOUVER, May 6.—A well known figure in activities of Vancouver women's organizations, Mrs. M. A. Glover, wife of the late Mr. George Glover, died at her home in Burnaby, B.C., at the age of thirty-three years, on Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Harford, Burnaby. She had been ill a short time.

Besides Mrs. Harford she is survived by six other daughters, Mrs. W. B. Milburn, of Victoria; Mrs. H. Amos, of Nelson; Mrs. B. Donaldson, of Revelstoke; Mrs. R. McCall, of Kamloops; and Mrs. W. H. Stevens, and Mrs. H. Stevens, both of Vancouver. She was preceded by four sons as well as her husband, who died seven years ago.

Reports Upon Recent Crusade to Be Made

Tomorrow the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau directors will hold their regular monthly luncheon meeting in the cafe of the Chamber of Commerce when reports upon the recent Pacific Coast Crusade will be delivered. The luncheon will start at 12:10 noon.

Pedestrian crossing the street and walking heading into motor car: "Call and see me on Wednesday, old chap."

Friend on pavement: "Right! Which hospital?"

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Festival Adjudicator Recommends Combined Singing for Final Day

"I put singing far ahead of anything else as an educative force," said Dr. Healy William, principal adjudicator of the Victoria Musical Festival, in addressing the Kiwanis Club at its Empress Hotel luncheon yesterday. "When you meet with a singing community, you will generally find that community leading districts which have no such singing."

"These music festivals are doing a valuable work among school children in and about London. It is the custom for all boys to join the choir."

"Competitive singing in festivals too often stops at the competition, and overlooks the festival idea," continued Dr. William. "Jealousy develops, and I would like to see more combined singing on the last day of these festivals. It would do a lot to wipe out little feelings generated at these competitions. If we all get together and sing, I am sure it will do a vast amount of good."

Mr. Ronald Gibson, adjudicator of Winnipeg, and Mr. Harold Beckwith, acting president of the festival, were also guests at the luncheon.

Want Early Notice

Resolutions to be submitted to the annual convention of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities should be sent to the secretary of the union before August 1, so as to give time for their consideration at the convention meets. This is pointed out in a letter which has just been sent by the union to member municipalities.

Letters to Editor

Letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. The rules apply to all correspondence.

SIGHTLESS MUSICIANS' CONCERT

Sir.—The splendid write-up in your paper of last Saturday on the programme rendered by sightless musicians, has been very interesting to me with interest, or rather, read to me.

The fact that the other vocalists also played an instrument, together with the particular phrasing used in one or two announcements, evidently placed the special report under a misapprehension, as evidenced by the use of the term "imported." I merely wish to correct the false impression, as I am a duly elected member of the society, completely ignorant, participated as the others did, without personal remuneration.

I contribute 1 number on the programme of all three preceding concerts in the series, viz., in Vancouver, North Vancouver, and New Westminster.

Thanking you in advance for permission to put this matter right in the minds of your many readers who gave such splendid support to our efforts, I am,

Yours truly, GORDON ROOKE

Capilano, B.C., May 3, 1930.

ADJUDICATORS OF ELECTION

Sir.—I was somewhat surprised at the objection raised by Major Bullock-Webster in his letter in today's Colonist to the present adjudicator of the Victoria Musical Festival. If I remember rightly, he recommended Miss Cornish for that position some years ago, when the heavy traffic was removed. This is the announcement made by the Department of Public Works yesterday.

A special crew is now engaged in putting the Drive in the best of condition, so that it may be open to handling the heavy traffic which is expected this summer over the tourist season. By May 24 this special work will be completed and the workmen and the machinery utilized in the preparation of the highway to cope with the heavy traffic will be removed.

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POWER REQUEST GRANTED TO APPLICANTS

West Kootenay Company Wins Approval of Its Undertaking on Pend Oreille River

REEVES-MCDONALD INTEREST PROTECTED

The application of the West Kootenay Power Company made a few days ago for approval of its undertaking for erecting a dam on the Pend Oreille River at Cedar Creek has been approved. This proposal of the power company, with that given a short time ago, provides power which is capable of being developed on the river which is held necessary in order to carry out the project in hand.

The application of the West Kootenay Power Company, heard by the water board and the compiler of water rights for the province a few days ago, was for the approval of the undertaking proposed by the company, which looks to the erection of the second dam on the river to take advantage of the water after it leaves the Seven Mile Creek. This dam will be erected at Cedar Creek.

APPROVES EMPLOYMENT

The water board approves of the endorsing of the application and this in turn has been approved by Hon. P. P. Burden, Minister of Lands. It will now remain for the controller to grant the water rights upon the submission of the complete plans of the company with respect to the application.

Under the decision the Pend Oreille River in British Columbia passes under the control of the West Kootenay Power Company, which undertakes to provide in connection with the work the power which may be required by the Reeves-McDonald Mining Company. The latter company was an applicant for water there for power purposes but the application made by it was a later one than that of the power company, with respect to the power to be generated in connection with the upper dam.

The power company was the only applicant for development of power at the lower works.

At the time of the application made by Mr. Lorne Campbell, general manager of the West Kootenay Power Company, made the statement that the 300,000 horsepower of water available for development would all be required for the plant which is to manufacture fertilizer for farming operations in this country.

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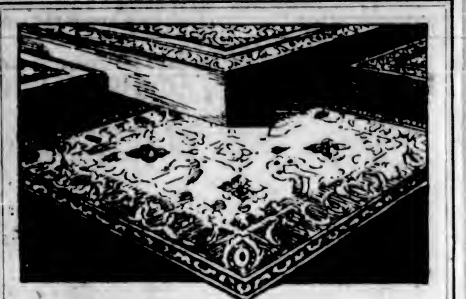
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Obituary

SHU SHIE—The death occurred on Monday at the family residence, 518 Fugard Street, of Shu Shie, aged forty-eight years, a native of Canton, China, and a resident of Victoria for the past seventeen years.

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AUTHORITY ON BOTANY SPEAKS TO GARDENERS

Professor Davidson Enlightens Large Audience on Way Plants Thrive and Obtain Food

HOE AND NOT HOSE WAS ADVICE GIVEN

"Questions regularly asked me might easily have been answered by the professional and amateur gardener if the elementary principles of botany had only been understood by the questioners," said Professor Davidson, of the University of British Columbia, in an address to the Victoria Horticultural Society in the City Hall last evening on "Botanical Hints for Amateur Gardeners." It is indeed surprising how many professional gardeners there are who do everything by rule of thumb. They are like the average possessor of a camera, they can press the button and get an impression, but cannot finish the picture.

"One of the most common fallacies among gardeners is that plants get their food from the soil. The food of plants is made up of the same constituents as we ourselves require; but we do not get it in the same way. We allow the plant to work for us, to manufacture its food, and then we come along and devour it. Only between 1 and 1 1/2 per cent of the food of a plant is derived from the soil, the great bulk of it being obtained from the atmosphere."

LEAF'S MECHANISM
Professor Davidson exhibited instruments which enabled botanists to determine the amount of water a plant required, and illustrated with drawings the manner in which plants procure sustenance, and described minutely the function of the epidermis, palisades, cells and veins of the leaf, which the lecturer referred to as the most modern manufacturing plant of the vegetable world. There was nothing more ingenious than the mechanism of a leaf. The small portion of the mineral which was absorbed from the soil through the absorbing cells and root lines in solution, passed up through the bole of the plant into the leaves, where the hydrogen from the ground and the carbon from the atmosphere were processed into a food which then went back through the bark to the roots, which are the feet of the tree. The plant to be fed, the whole system working automatically.

When trees or plants are at their best, the evaporating surface and the absorbing surface must balance. When leaves are seen drooping from a tree under natural circumstances, the tree is then cutting them out in order to protect its life, the speaker pointed out. Referring to the outside skin, like a layer of varnish, and which botanists call the cuticle, Professor Davidson said its function was to prevent evaporation and provide rigidity, as well as to prevent fungi attacking the plant.

SAP CONCENTRATION
"Gardening becomes far more interesting if you know the why of things," Professor Davidson continued. "Anything you can do to increase concentration of sap within the plant tends to produce more flowers and more fruit. Anything you do to lessen that concentration tends to produce more wood and more foliage. The secret of successful plant culture is less hoe and more hoe. Gardeners often put a plant in an unnatural condition. The more they sprinkle, the less cuticle the plant grows, and the less cuticle, the more rust it acquires. The application of the hose assisted the plant to get water from the soil, which was most essential and the natural way."

The lecturer was tendered a hearty vote of thanks for his interesting address. The chairman, Mr. Fred Landberg, congratulated the Vancouver Island Horticultural Society on its recent successful exhibition, and the Victoria Horticultural Society on again winning first prize for the district exhibit. He presented Mr. Whiteoak with the cup awarded the party arranging the winning exhibit.

Judgment Calls for Further Argument

Judgment in favor of two out of three defendants was handed down in County Court, yesterday, by Judge Lampman, in the suit brought by Mrs. Alice U. Malik against P. B. Pemberton & Son, R. H. Edgell, and R. S. Maybet, in connection with the purchase by the plaintiff, in 1928, of shares in Clinton Gold Mines, Ltd.

The judgment dismisses the action as against Messrs. Pemberton & Son, and as against Mr. Edgell. Whether it will hold good as against Mr. Maybet, depends, the court holds, upon whether or not the Companies Act is ultra vires. "If the provisions of the Companies Act, which are relied upon, are intra vires," the judgment continues, "I think Maybet is liable. The action will be dismissed as against the defendants other than Maybet, and the question of the constitutionality of the act will have to be argued."

How Argentine Commuters Fire Trains



THIS is what Argentine commuters do in sunny Argentina, when their railways don't give them the kind of service they want. Owing to difficulties between several British railway companies at Buenos Aires and their workers, trains have been running hours behind schedule. Aggravated straphangers, anxious to get home to dinner, decided to take matters into their own hands and proceeded to apply the torch to railway coaches.

OFFICIALS CONFER ON DIAL SYSTEM

Installation Here of Automatic Telephone Brings Session of Co-ordination Committee Here

A two-day conference of telephone officials ended here yesterday. Victoria and Vancouver representatives of the B.C. Telephone Company, met on Monday and Tuesday as a committee to make further plans regarding the conversion of the Victoria telephone system to the dial method of operation. The conference was held in the office of Mr. F. C. Patterson, district commercial superintendent, and was

presided over by Mr. H. C. McLean, of the engineering department, Vancouver. On Monday afternoon the visiting officials inspected the work in the new exchange building. On Tuesday they were the guests of the Victoria officials at luncheon in the Chamber of Commerce dining-room.

The committee, which is representative of the various departments, went carefully over the progress of the dial system plans, item by item, and announced afterwards that good progress was being made on the big project. One report alone presented at the conference contained 110 pages.

After the Monday sessions several of the Vancouver officials drove out to Swartz Bay, at the end of the Saanich Peninsula, to inspect the equipment installed in the "cable hut" there. This apparatus consists of devices known as "repeaters," a species of amplifier which will boost the voice currents on the new Vancouver-Victoria telephone cable. Vacuum tubes play a vital part in the operation of this equipment, which is similar to that installed at Mayne Island and Point Roberts to serve the same cable.

With finishing touches now being added, the new cable will be ready for service about the middle of the month, it was announced. The work that remains to be done, all of an engineering nature, consists partly of the installation of terminal equipment such as certain ringing apparatus in the Victoria office.

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(Left) "How miserable I was!" writes MRS. F. J. RILEY of Cleveland. "I had indigestion and constipation and felt only half alive... After eating Fleischmann's Yeast my troubles cleared up completely. I haven't a trace of indigestion and no longer feel sluggish and tired."



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INSTRUCTIONS ARE GIVEN DELEGATES

Britannia Branch Deputation for Annual Provincial Convention Receives Notices

Delegates of the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., to the annual provincial convention to be held in June at Nelson, were given their final instructions at the general meeting held last night at the club's headquarters. Over 200 members were in attendance and several important matters were brought up and discussed.

Comrade Lambert, past chairman of the pensions committee, brought up the subject of pensions for returned men. This subject was discussed from every angle by the members present, and something is expected to result in the near future.

Comrade J. Food, past president of the branch, voiced the appreciation of the regularity of new members, and stated that the organization was noticeably gaining in membership week after week. Four-

teen new members were received at last night's gathering. Reports were submitted by the various committees and adopted as satisfactory. Comrade Thomas Dempster, president of the branch, was given great praise for the way he had carried out his duties during his short term of office.

Late Mr. J. Grieg

Relative to the late Mr. John Grieg, M.C., an account of whose death appeared in yesterday morning's Colonist, the sisters of the dead man desire to correct several minor inaccuracies. He was the son of the late W. Grieg, who was born in Berkeley, California, and died in Oakland, California, aged forty-two. At the close of the war he visited Victoria for a time, was married in Montreal in 1921, and returned to England some time after, residing in London until May of last year. At the time of his death he was employed by the Title Insurance Company, of Oakland.

RADIO CLUB MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Radio Club will be held at 8 o'clock tonight, at the Dallas Road clubrooms. All radio fans are invited to attend.

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Second Degree Murder

LOS ANGELES, May 6.—A sentence of five years to life in San Quentin Prison was meted out to

day by Superior Court to W. R. McIntire, twenty-nine, for the hit and run killing of Mrs. Margaret Powers, sixty-two, last January, with an automobile. He was convicted of second degree murder.

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PUBLICITY IS GIVEN BY ART

Mr. G. H. Southwell Prepares Paintings on Laminated Wood of B.C. Industries

TO BE EXHIBITED AT CRYSTAL PALACE

Some new ideas in connection with the giving of publicity to this province have been introduced under the reorganization of that department, which promise good returns. One of these calls for the production of scenes in British Columbia done in oil colors, and which are being executed by an artist of high standing under commission from the department.

Mr. G. H. Southwell, whose work as an artist and as a teacher of art has won him high honors, is now engaged on this work. Already a number of his paintings are in the hands of the publicity office, and these will be distributed where they may be expected to give the best returns from an advertising standpoint.

Mr. Southwell, who learned his art in the Old Country, has found that the laminated wood produced here constitutes a most acceptable "canvas" upon which to display his work. All the paintings being executed by him for the department are being done with these wooden backgrounds. Mountain scenery in the true colors are being utilized as subjects. In addition to these scenes are a number representative of the industrial life of the province, including fishing craft at sea, donkey engines at work in the primeval forest, and pastoral scenes.

Some of them, representative of the industries, will go to the Crystal Palace in London. Other scenes will be displayed in clubs in the Orient, and in public places where they are sure to attract attention, and stimulate, it is hoped, travel to this province.

Another medium of attracting attention to the province is furnished through the efforts of Mr. J. H. Humphrey, who has a marvelous collection of slides representative of the mining and other industrial pursuits in this province. Mr. Humphrey is now exhibiting with appropriate lectures these scenes in the Canadian and United States cities east of Winnipeg and Chicago, and it is hoped to get valuable results from this effort.

J.B.A.A. DANCE

With the club's headquarters having undergone several major alterations during the past two weeks, the J.B.A.A. will hold another of its popular dances at its Gorge club on Saturday evening, starting at 9 o'clock. The new fixtures will add greatly to the convenience of the club's patrons and another large attendance is expected.

City and District

White Camas Plant—A specimen of the white camas, which occasionally appears among the familiar blue, has been brought to the Colonist office, found on a rock on the south side of Cloverdale Avenue by Mrs. A. E. Price.

Assistant Commissioner Here—Mr. J. O. Barry, assistant commissioner of the Straits Settlements Police, is registered at the Empress Hotel, en route to the Orient to return to his post at Singapore after leave in the Old Country.

Search at an End—The search for Mr. William I. Land, accountant for the Victoria Realty and Building Company, View Street, who disappeared from the company's offices last Friday morning, ended Monday with a telegram to his wife, giving his destination at New Westminster.

Two Fires—A chimney fire at 1877 Crescent Road at 9:54 o'clock and a roof fire at 726 Courtney Street at 8:38 o'clock, were attended by the Department yesterday morning. Only slight damage resulted.

Conjurors Meet—The monthly meeting of the Victoria Society of Magicians, I.B.M. Ring No. 10, was held on Monday evening at the home of Mr. W. Harkness, 1723 First Street. Following some clever magical manipulations, the evening was brought to a close when refreshments were served.

Will Purchase Cows—Hon. W. Atkinson, Minister of Agriculture, and Dr. W. R. Gunn, director of animal industry in the department, have agreed to purchase a number of cows for farmers who require them, particularly in the Peace River District. The cows will be furnished on an agreement to purchase by the farmers.

To Visit Here—Announcement is made by the Federal Department of Trade and Commerce that the dates for Vancouver, New Westminster and Victoria for the visit of Mr. James Cormack, Canadian trade commissioner in Cuba, will be May 12 to 14. Mr. Cormack's territory also includes Santo Domingo and Porto Rico.

Will Go to Berlin—Hon. F. P. Burden, Minister of Lands, will represent the province at the World's Power Conference, which is to be held in Berlin, Germany, next month. The gathering will open on June 16, and continue until June 26. The last conference of this kind was held in London, England, in 1926.

Transferred to St. Andrew's—Miss A. L. Clarke, who has been for several years accountant at the Empress Hotel, will leave today for St. Andrew's-by-the-Sea, N.B., to take up an appointment at the Algonquin Hotel of a similar character. The staff presented her with a traveling wardrobe trunk and writing set as an appreciation of her term.

Roses Please—Mr. J. A. Grant, markets commissioner, while in Winnipeg, says that he noticed a car lot of British Columbia roses purchased by a big department

store. The manager was well pleased with the stock. Seeds were being packed and sold by this firm, and on inquiry found that a great portion of them were grown in British Columbia.

British Columbia Frames—The market branch of the Department of Agriculture has received from the experimental farm at Summerland, in the Okanagan, a box of dehydrated prunes which were grown there, and treated as an experiment. The provincial sample had a more natural taste of the fresh fruit, and in other respects was just as good as the imported varieties.

Lac of Timothy Seed—The market branch of the province announces that it has inquiries for domestic and export orders for timothy seed with little or no seed offering. It is pointed out that there seems a good opening for the production of this seed in view of the fact that 6,136,820 pounds of timothy seed was imported into Canada during nine months from July 1, 1929.

Short Wave Club—The semi-annual meeting of the Victoria Short Wave Club was held at the home of Mr. John Lawrence, 2560 Speke Street, Saturday evening. Officers elected for the ensuing term were Mr. Lawrence, president; Mr. W. H. Walker, vice-president; Mr. J. H. Hargrave, secretary, and Mr. H. Thompson, treasurer. An effort is being made by the club to have the fifth district amateur radio convention held here this year.

Property Sale Completed—Tergeson Brothers, Victoria distributors for Goodrich tires, yesterday purchased the corner on which their central service station is located, corner Port and Blanshard Street. The property, 60 x 120, was sold to Tergeson Brothers by Mr. Wise of Wise & Company, for \$30,000, and it is understood that the deal was practically cash. The property was owned by Colonel Gascoigne, of London, England.

Publicity Is Broadcast—Through the courtesy of the Department of Trade and Commerce at Ottawa, Victoria publicity literature, issued by the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, is being distributed in many parts of the world. Canadian Government trade commissioners, according to advice received, are carrying on the good work in London, Glasgow, Liverpool, Bristol, Dublin, Paris, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Athens, Kobe, Tokio and Rio de Janeiro.

Association Disappears—The Canadian Highway Association has merged its identity in the Victoria branch of the Automobile Club of British Columbia, and transferred the custody of the medal donated by the late Mr. A. E. Todd for the first transcanada automobile tour by all-Canadian roads to that body. This association some years ago presented the medal for the Winnipeg-Victoria route, which was won by motorists who used the railway part of the way through British Columbia.

Visits Seattle—Mr. J. A. Grant, of the market section of the Department of Agriculture, left yesterday afternoon for Seattle. Mr. W. W. Duncan will follow today and join Mr. Grant in making an investigation into the situation in Washington State with regard to the condition of the markets and the general outlook for the year. A visit will be paid to Centralia, which is the home of the processing of strawberries, by the freezing of them, and placing them on the market in cartons. They will return by the end of the week.

Will Speak in Seattle—Hon. S. P. Tolmie will speak at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of Seattle on Friday. Mr. B. A. McKelvie, publicity commissioner for the province, will also attend by invitation. At this meeting the caravan which is to visit Hazelton next month, will be up for discussion and plans will be considered with respect to it. The keenest interest is being manifested in this trip, which will include in the personnel of the party public men from British Columbia and the Pacific States, and publicly men representative of all parts of the Coast and other sections of the country.

May Get Paper Here—Mr. John Martin, president of the Martin Paper Products Limited, of Winnipeg, is in the city. He came to the Coast to meet his wife, who is returning from California, but while here took occasion to investigate the situation with regard to supplies of corrugated paper, of which he uses a tremendous amount in his factory. He has discovered that it will be possible to make use of paper manufactured on the Pacific Coast in connection with this work, in place of importing foreign-made straw-board and other materials, and with advantage both in strength and cost. He is now investigating the situation, and may also find additional markets for his wares here.

Income Tax Payments

VANCOUVER, May 6.—Dominion income tax collections to date this year are fully up to the volume at the corresponding period last year, when collections of \$4,500,000 constituted a record for British Columbia. Mr. Norman Lee, inspector of taxation, states that there are more installment tax payments being made this year than last.

Missionary Meeting

The general public will have an opportunity of hearing the well-known missionary to Japan, Miss Archer, who is to address a public meeting at the Christ Church Cathedral Memorial Hall on Thursday, May 8, at 8 p.m. Miss Archer, who has been for over thirty years in Japan, is well fitted to speak on conditions there, and will tell also of the modern outlook and the changes that have taken place during the past thirty years. Miss Archer will return to her field of work at the end of the week.

Elected to Board by Acclamation



MR. FRANK VICKER HOBBS
Who retained the chairmanship of the Board of School Trustees last December in order to control the re-organization of the municipality and was yesterday elected to the position on the School Board, his nomination being the only one made by the voters. Mr. Hobbs is an ex-president of the British Columbia Teachers' Association.

THOUSANDS KILLED BY EARTHQUAKE

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accurate information meagre. Few buildings escaped damage. Even the roof of the famous Shwe-Maw-Daw Pagoda, an ancient temple rising to a height of 324 feet, was wrecked. The pagoda is one of the holiest places in all Burma.

Though the greatest damage in the Pegu division, which includes the city of Rangoon, was at Pegu, Rangoon suffered terribly in the earthquake. Two hundred dead had been taken from the ruins of many buildings tonight, and uncounted others still lay in the debris.

ONE OF WORST QUAKES
The earthquake was one of the worst ever known in a district that has frequently suffered with them. Towns near Rangoon and Pegu were badly shaken, and communications were cut, so that casualties elsewhere could not be verified. One report said that Thongwa Island, in the Hanthawaddy district, had disappeared entirely.

Virtually the entire population of Pegu, normally about 18,700, was homeless and shelterless tonight. The municipal buildings, the banks, the government school, the police commissioner's office and the market were destroyed.

The fire still smouldered in the evening. Great numbers of natives were buried in the collapse of a motion picture theatre, overwhelmed while the show was going on.

All railway communication beyond Pegu was halted by the collapse of a bridge. Transportation throughout the district was paralyzed.

ARTICLES FOUND IN LINDSAY CAR

Further Light on Tragedy Which Occupies Police of Three States

OAKLAND, Cal., May 6.—Seattle investigators today found a pipe die and a six-pound bar of steel, in an automobile abandoned by Everett Frank Lindsay, when he fled to Oakland Thursday. The implement, found by Deputy Sheriffs William H. Sears and A. T. Devereaux, under a rear seat, was believed by them to have been used by Lindsay in the attack on his wife, Audrey Elizabeth, former overseas nurse.

Investigators, the deputies said, had previously accepted the theory that a blow from such an instrument ended Mrs. Lindsay's life. A post-mortem examination of the body, disinterred from the yard of Lindsay's West Seattle home, revealed an unusual skull fracture, they said. The die, used by Lindsay in his trade for threading pipe in screwfitting, will be sent to Seattle, where Mr. Luke S. May, criminologist, will examine it for bloodstains, and check it with the injury which killed Mrs. Lindsay.

Meanwhile, twelve-year-old Pearl Lindsay, stepdaughter of the slain woman and foster child of the vanished suspect, was held at the detention home here. She will return to Seattle with the deputies.

Questioned today, she gave further details of the clothing worn by Lindsay when last seen.

UNDERWRITERS WILL POSTPONE LUNCHEON UNTIL NEXT WEEK

The regular luncheon meeting of the Vancouver Island Life Underwriters' Association, which was arranged for tomorrow, has been postponed until Thursday, May 15, in order that Mr. J. A. Birmingham, vice-president of the British Columbia association, and Mr. W. Mann, of the Vancouver association, may be present to address the local members, to meet the local executive and to discuss Dominion business.

The two visitors will be accompanied by Mrs. Birmingham and Mrs. Mann, who will be guests at the luncheon, which will be held in the David Spencer, Limited, private dining-room, punctually at 12 noon.

"Pat me boy, ye're drunk." "Faith, Molke, an' it's a lotar ye are, an' if Oi was sobar ye wouldn't dare say it."

The Victoria Girls' Band Is to Be Congratulated

TO have rendered such a splendid programme of music before such a great audience as filled the Crystal Garden on Monday evening would have done credit to any band with years, instead of months, of training. The Victoria Girls' Band, and particularly Bandmaster Hodgkins, are to be heartily congratulated on the success of their first public concert. It is to be hoped that the public will soon have another opportunity of hearing these Victoria girls in another concert.

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Women's Work and Institutes

LIBRARY SCHEME DETAILS OUTLINED

Dr. Helen G. Stewart Addresses Women's Club on New Development to Be Worked Out in B.C.

"The traveling library has taken the place of many other efforts which have made more noise," said Dr. Helen Stewart during her address before the Women's Canadian Club yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel, her subject being "Library Demonstration."

Dr. Stewart gave an interesting talk on the plans of the newly organized library development scheme which is being worked out by the British Columbia Library Commission under the Carnegie Corporation, which has granted the Provincial Government the sum of \$100,000 to be used by the commission in developing the work in rural districts. For years, Dr. Stewart said, the man in the country was thought to be satisfied with "his hoe or patent incubator," and had no need of "stimulus for mind and spirit." That has been proved a fallacy, she continued, and a great effort is being made to supply reading material for country dwellers, and those who have had no access to any sort of library advantages.

Many problems were confronting the commission in organizing the work, it was explained, and library areas had to be created, the county library scheme put into effect, and laboratory experiments applied from a central base. Chillyack had been chosen as a centre, and branch libraries and deposit stations will be established in surrounding districts. "A book automobile," Dr. Stewart called it, will travel through the country, and isolated households will be able to have their library service at their very door. Dr. Stewart said, in explaining some of the details of the scheme. The bus would also serve to keep alive the spirit of books in the schools and distributing centres, and would run on a regular schedule. The central depot will be staffed by Canadian librarians, all of whom are thoroughly trained, and the work of organization and the directing of this experimental work will be in the hands of Dr. Stewart herself.

"While the Fraser Valley is the centre at the moment, it is, in reality, a laboratory for the experiment and demonstration and whole effort is for British Columbia," Miss Stewart concluded.

The speaker was introduced by Mrs. Gurnah, president of the club, who, on behalf of the members, presented Dr. Stewart with a copy of the club's publication, "Pioneer Women of British Columbia," an appropriate gift to one who was engaged in real pioneer work in this province.

Master Billy McPhail, a pupil of Mrs. Wilfrid Ord, gave great pleasure with his recitations, "Canadian Born," and "Vital Lampada," and was encored.

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Air Freezing.—The old process of "air" freezing consists of placing perishables in cold rooms at a low temperature until frozen, the time varying according to volume. Air, which is a very poor conductor of heat, is largely dependent on the time required for complete freezing. Slow freezing causes the formation of large crystals of ice which rupture the flesh of the article frozen, which results in loss of juices, loss of weight, loss of flavor, and rapid disintegration on thawing out due to damage by the large ice crystals. Length of time is also a serious consideration from the standpoint of economy in plant operation.

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Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

ROYAL OAK

The Women's Institute will hold its May meeting on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Royal Oak Hall, followed by a card party in the evening at 8 o'clock.

LUXTON AND HAPPY VALLEY
The May meeting of the Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute, held on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Goodell, was unusually well attended. The president, Mrs. D. Welch, presiding. The members decided to hold a flower show in conjunction with the annual Busy Bee entertainment. A letter was received from the Salvation Army asking permission to explain its work to the institute, and it was decided to invite its representative to speak at the next meeting. The report of the card party held at the home of Mrs. Heath was satisfactory. The secretary was instructed to write again to the Minister of Public Works asking that something be done in regard to the bad corners in the Happy Valley Road, which are particularly dangerous during the tourist season. At the conclusion of business the members enjoyed a social hour. Mr. and Mrs. Goodell entertained with music.

VICTORIA
The members of Victoria Women's Institute have been invited to the present at the laying of the cornerstone of the new unit of the Solarium at Mill Bay, under the auspices of the Myrtle Shrine on Wednesday afternoon, May 14, at 3:30 o'clock. The silver tea planned for May 7, by the Victoria Institute, and it was postponed to Friday, May 30, at the home of Mrs. Peden. The regular meeting will take place at the institute rooms on Friday, May 16.

ESQUIMALT CHAPTER
Plans were made for a bridge and main party to be held on June 6 at the Empress Hotel by the Esquimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E., at the monthly meeting on Monday. Lady Barnard loaned her home for the meeting and Mrs. C. P. Hill, who recently returned from Europe, was in the chair. Reports showed that a new flag had been donated to the Esquimalt Memorial Park and flowers had been placed in the Rose Bay and Naval cemeteries, and in the memorial shrine at St. Paul's Garrison Church. Mrs. R. Sedger and Mrs. A. L. Robinson were welcomed to the chapter. Mrs. Mollie Taylor, of Rollo, B.C., formerly of Victoria West, was made an honorary member of the chapter.

LOBA Concert
Purple Star Lodge No. 104, L.O.B.A., will hold a concert and dance in the Orange Hall, Courtney Street, this evening, at 8 o'clock. A good programme has been arranged and an enjoyable evening is anticipated. Members are asked to bring refreshments.

Jubilee Hospital W.A.
The regular sewing meeting of the Jubilee Hospital W.A. will be held this afternoon in the Nurses' Home, at 2 o'clock.

To Hold Tea
The First Universal Spiritual Church will hold its weekly tea tomorrow from 2:30 to 4:30 o'clock.

TODAY'S RECIPE

CREAM Puffs—Boil one cup of hot water with half a cup of butter. While boiling stir in one cup of flour and let it get very thick. Set aside to cool, and when quite cold drop in four eggs, one at a time without beating first. Mix well until you have a smooth, thick batter. Drop on a buttered tin in large or small spoonfuls as desired. Bake in a fairly hot oven and do not remove until the puffs are dry. When cold, fill with whipped cream and sprinkle with powdered sugar. It is as well to puncture the puffs as soon as you remove them from the oven, so that the steam may escape.—Frudence.

ALLIES CHAPTER HAS JAM SHOWER

Dr. C. Wace Gives Address at Tea Given in Aid of Solarium at Sidney

The tea arranged by the Allies Chapter, I.O.D.E., yesterday afternoon at Matthews' Hall, Sidney, in aid of the Queen Alexandra Solarium, proved a great success, more than \$100 being realized. A donation of \$50 from a sympathetic and generous friend was received with thanks during the afternoon. The programme opened with the National Anthem, played by Mrs. George McLean. Mrs. Grasse, the regent, was in the chair, and with her on the platform was Mrs. C. W. Peck, wife of Colonel Peck, V.C., member for the Islands electoral district, who was unable to be present as he intended.

The work being done at the Solarium was outlined by Dr. Cyril Wace, the medical superintendent, who gave a most fascinating word picture of the life of the children at the Sunshine Home, their treatment and the importance of after-care.

Mrs. Reece Burns gave a dramatic reading, which was greatly enjoyed, and solo by Miss Dorothy Cameron, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. R. C. Farrow, both of whom are members of the H.M.S. Resolution Chapter, I.O.D.E., added to the pleasure of the guests.

Beautiful bouquets, arranged by Mrs. Ahier, were presented to Mrs. Peck, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Farrow and Miss Cameron. Tea was served by the chapter and a delightful informal time was enjoyed. An interesting and no less important feature of the afternoon was the jam shower for the Solarium, the donations exceeding all expectations, with the result that Dr. Wace left with his car full of bottles of jams and jellies. Mrs. Stewart and Mr. Witherby assisted with the packing. Mrs. Cruikshank was in charge of the tickets.

The Allies Chapter expresses its thanks to many friends for the splendid support given to the undertaking.

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TO GIVE CONCERT FOR CHURCH COMMITTEE

METCHOSIN, May 6.—By the kindness of Mrs. Wilfred Ord, an attractive programme will be given at an entertainment under the auspices of the church committee of St. Mary's Church, Metchosin, on Friday, May 16, in Metchosin Hall. In addition to varied musical items, three dramatic sketches will be presented by Mrs. Ord and her pupils. The proceeds will be devoted towards paying the insurance premium now due on the Vitarage. Refreshments will be provided by the ladies of the parish. The evening will conclude with an informal dance.

BEBE DANIELS TO WED ON JUNE 14

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., May 6.—Bebe Daniels, motion picture star, and Ben Lyon, film actor, announced last night that they will be married June 14. The couple has been engaged for a year.

They were arguing as to whether men liked shopping or not. "They haven't the patience to go from one store to another looking for bargains," Mrs. Smith explained. "And they can't tell a bargain when they do see one," but in Mrs. Jones.

That's why we have to do four-fifths of the shopping, said a third. From store to store they tramped, until they began to discover that their own shopping expedition was not going as well as they had expected.

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Jim the Conqueror

By PETER B. KYNE

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SYNOPSIS
Don Jaime Mazon, the owner of a ranch in Texas, is having difficulty with a sheepman, Tom Antrim, and with the latter's son, Bobby. Captain Ken Roberts, of the Texas Rangers, who is visiting his commission to Don Jaime's mansion, warns him of the danger of his son. Don Jaime, however, dismisses the warning. He has seen in a fashionable magazine a picture of Miss Roberta Antrim, a city girl of Westchester. Don Jaime is attracted from ambush and shoots it out with his opponent, Ken Roberts. Don Jaime's mansion, had round Roberta's picture and address in Uncle Tom's pocket, and she accordingly had been notified. Roberta, who lives with her uncle, "Crooked Bill" Latham, sees her as a bit worried about the matter. She takes care of her interests.

CHAPTER X

Roberta Antrim's limousine rolled up the gravelled driveway to the wide portals of Hillcrest, and Harms, the butler, came down the steps and opened the door.

"Mr. Latham came home an hour ago, Miss," he confided in the city today. Miss. He's worried—walking up and down the drawing-room and talking to himself. I'm a bit worried about the matter, Miss."

"Thank you, Harms. You're very kind."

A foreboding of disaster brought Roberta flying into the living-room. Crooked Bill sat huddled in a reading chair, his face in his hands, his attitude reminiscent of profound despair.

"Uncle Bill! What's happened?" Crooked Bill's hands merely clasped his features tighter. He wagged his head and moaned.

"Are you in pain, Uncle Bill?"

"The market just jumped fifteen points. I'm through. My brokers sold me out this afternoon. Oh, Bobby, Bobby, what a massacre! I've staved as long as I dared, but when the last jump came I realized that only a crazy man would continue in this crazy market. I decline to invest another dollar—for the reason that I didn't have it. I told my brokers I'd gone the limit and to sell me out. My five thousand dumped on the market like sand broke the stock two points, but that was to be expected. I'm all washed up."

"Must we leave Hillcrest?" Roberta queried in a strained voice.

"We must," Crooked Bill replied heretically. "I have enough to pay off the servants and maintain us in respectability in some hotel until we can look round and see what our future holds for us, but after that—"

"After that I'll take care of you, dear Uncle Bill," Roberta's voice was very tender. The touch of her lovely cheek to Crooked Bill's wrinkled forehead was very soothing to that wretched wreck of a financier. "Sheep are up and so is wool. Uncle Bill, Don Prudencio Alviso writes me that Uncle Tom's sheep are worth at least two hundred thousand as they stand, and he has over a hundred thousand pounds of wool in transit to a wool house in Boston. And good wool is quoted in today's paper at thirty cents a pound. Uncle Tom has a ranch of sorts also. Don Prudencio doesn't think much of it and says it is not of ready sale, but we can live there and carry on in the sheep business."

"You have no conception of what you are proposing to do," Crooked Bill groaned. "Sheep are terrible. Well, you've always taken care of me, haven't you, darling? What a poor sport I'd be to desert you when you're down and out. No, no, dear. We'll battle along together to the last sheep."

Uncle Bill sighed and gazed dazedly out of the window. If you'd only died it up to marry Glenn Hackett—

"If we didn't have those sheep and the wool I'd marry him and risk learning to love him, just to keep you from worrying about me," Roberta assured him heretically.

"But, of course, thanks to this odious Jim Higgins, I find myself in rather an independent position. We will sell off all the sheep and wool and live comfortably and economically on the income from that until—"

"Hackett is coming for dinner," he interrupted. "Be nice to him. He's my attorney, of course, and I'll have to tell him what's happened to me. If he elects to forget that idiotic life you and he had recently, for heaven's sake, hold out the olive branch. You'll never have a chance at a better man, Bobby."

"Perhaps he will not be interested in me, now that I am not your heiress, as I dare say he believed me to be once."

"Well, give him a chance to play his hand," Crooked Bill protested. "Promise me, Bobby, that if he renews his suit you'll accord him kindly and respectful consideration."

In her distress at the catastrophe which had overtaken her guardian Roberta was in a mood to promise anything—and did. Crooked Bill appeared to rally immediately and mixed himself a negroni of his favorite beverage.

"That girl is too dog-gone high and mighty to suit me," Crooked Bill continued, sipping his drink with meditative pleasure. "So I've cooked up a scheme to bring her fluttering to the ground. Roberta's the light of my eye and the apple of my heart, but nevertheless, as a reasoning human being, I've got to admit she has her drawbacks. She's got to be panned down out of the clouds of romance to earthly practicalities, and in my feeble way I'm attempting to do it. All of her life I've been busy spoiling Roberta by granting every wish she expressed and a heap she never thought of expressing. That's bad business."

"It's business I fear I'd love to engage in," Glenn Hackett replied with one of his rare, humorous grins.

"Well, I'm not so sure Roberta wouldn't be delighted to be your partner—after she's brought you to the proper point of subjugation. The trouble with you, son, is that you're not sufficiently romantic to appeal to Roberta. You're too old for your years. Do you ever make her a pretty speech? Flatter her a bit? Remark on her dresses, the way she does her hair—things like that? My boy, women eat that sort of thing with a large spoon."

"I fear I'm sadly deficient in that sort of approach."

"I know. You have the fool habit of looking at the things you ought to say. Now, then, here's my plan." He recited in marvelous detail his conversation with Roberta of a few days before, regarding his operations on Wall Street. "Of course," he added, "I'll skate all the way around the subject, but I won't actually lie. Not to Roberta, at any rate. I just pulled a mournful mien, and Roberta jumped to the conclusion that I had sold five thousand Motors short and that with every jump of the ticker I was losing a fortune. You see, I merely outlined to her what would happen to any man who bought short in this market. Thus I craftily paved the way for a mythical collapse."

"Today I came staggering in, playing all over the place, and moaned aloud that I was out of the market, that Motors had jumped fifteen points and that my brokers had sold me out because I didn't dare stay with the game any longer. Well, as a matter of fact I am out of the market. My brokers did sell me out—but on the right side of the ledger, and as a result I've cleaned up about ten millions. I've arranged with a trusted friend to pretend he's bought Hillcrest from the bank to which I had given a deed. Well, I did give the bank a deed, as security for more money to play this crazy market, but I could afford to. I was miles ahead of the hounds—playing on margin. I've leased this place for July, August and September—and Roberta is as sorry for me she's going to sell out her Uncle Tom's sheep and wool and take care of me the remainder of my days."

"Very nice of Roberta, I should say, Mr. Latham. But then Roberta was always a good sport. Witness the sporty manner in which she took a quoted in today's paper at thirty cents a pound. Uncle Tom has a ranch of sorts also. Don Prudencio doesn't think much of it and says it is not of ready sale, but we can live there and carry on in the sheep business."

"You follow my lead and you will be. You've given her one lick and I'm giving her another. Right now she's figuring ways and means of avoiding all her old friends. She'll never place herself in the position of being plied by her set, of being patronized, of being the recipient of favors she can't repay. She knows her set—knows that money is king, and that those who cannot hold their place in the race must fall behind and be forgotten. My boy, your change of fortune is going to make that girl do some constructive thinking."

"Still I do not follow you."

"I'm not surprised. Where Roberta is, concerned you do not think very clearly. Now listen to me, my boy. Roberta's going down to Texas to look after her interests. She hasn't said so, but I know the thought will occur to her between now and tomorrow morning. She'll want to go if she could avoid it. I know now she's beginning to think it is her duty to go. She must be on the job to protect every dollar coming to her from Tom Antrim's estate. She's the Little Mother now."

"Got to take care of poor old Uncle Bill Latham, or else poor old Uncle Bill will never raise his head again."

"A very commendable spirit. That makes me love Roberta all the more. But still I do not follow you."

"You idiot boy! I'm going to give you a chance to be a hero, to put Roberta under obligation to you. Tonight at dinner, this sad story I've just told you is going to come out. You're going to suspect something and start probing me—and when you discover all is over, you're going to suggest saving me."

"How?"

(To Be Continued)

Kitty McKay
By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

Roberta was dressing when she heard Glenn Hackett's car rolling up the driveway. She looked out of her window and called, "Hello, old slick-in-the-mud! How are you?" He favored her with a not very enthusiastic wave of his hand before the car disappeared under the portico.

Still holding his little grudge, Roberta thought, "Well, I don't blame him. Nevertheless I loathe such men."

Crooked Bill received his guest at the door and at once conducted him to the library, where the old schemer's favorite nephew awaited.

"I've got to talk fast, my boy, before Roberta comes down. In the first place you must brace yourself for a not very cheerful dinner. I'm supposed to have gone bust in the market—Hillcrest has been gobbled up by my bankers to meet my notes. I'm down a couple of thousand dollars."

Glenn Hackett stared at the old gentleman ovillibly. He was a man who seldom asked questions before he had all the facts in hand. Crooked Bill continued:

"I hope I do not have to assure you that in so far as Bobby is concerned I'm for you all the way."

"Thank you very much," Hackett replied. "I have suspected as much for quite a while."

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CAPITAL CITY IMPROVEMENT CASE HEARD

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go away with the idea that this meant simply shelving the proposition. He said he would take it up with the other members and promised that it would be very seriously looked into.

Dr. Tolmie said that he was impressed with the argument that the Government property in the city was exempt from taxation. Moreover, he said people were interested in seeing what the capital of a province looked like. It was therefore a matter of provincial pride that the capital should look well and prove an attraction. The impression that was conveyed by the appearance of the capital for travelers from outside the province was an important matter to look to.

BEFORE HIM IN 1929

In this connection, the Premier referred to the fact that Mayor Anson had had the matter up a year before, but he had asked at that time for \$10,000 in extra taxes, suggested in the memorandum presented yesterday.

He had watched the work done in Ottawa as the capital of the Dominion. The work there had been carried on by the Ottawa Development Commission, the members of which had worked in this line without remuneration. He referred to the beauty which had been consequent upon their efforts and told of the transformation of the area along the Rideau Canal into a place of beauty.

The suggestion was made by Mr. J. H. Beatty, M.P., that the work of beautification carried out should not be regarded as being required to be confined to Victoria City alone, but might continue at least as far as the Malahat and in other parts of the environs of the capital. This idea of Mr. Beatty's appealed strongly to others in the delegation, including Mr. Claude Harrison.

The delegation was received by Premier Tolmie late yesterday afternoon in the executive room in the Parliament Buildings. Hon. J. H. Hinchliffe, Minister of Education, as one of the members for the city, was present, and also Messrs. Reginald Hayward and H. D. Twiss, both city members. Mr. H. D. Twiss could not be present.

MR. HAYWARD'S VIEW

Mr. Hayward, who introduced the delegation, which was a very large and representative one, pointed out that the request for aid was not a new move. For six years it had been presented before the House to his knowledge. The idea was connected with the proposition, he said, was not fully worked out. His opinion would be that the Government should have some plan with regard to the expenditure of the money it granted.

Mr. Hayward observed that this was not a move for the providing of funds for the city, which would lessen the taxation of the ratepayers of the city. If the taxes of the city were to be reduced, it would have to be by curtailing its expenditures. The grant from the Province would be for new work in the line of beautification.

Alderman W. Cullen presented the formal memorandum covering the request of the City Council committee, which had had the matter in hand. The memorandum read as follows:

"The memorandum presented said: 'The delegation which waits upon you today is headed by a special committee of the Victoria City Council, who are supported by representatives of all of the major organizations of the city. 'The purpose for which this delegation waits upon you is to secure from the Government of the Province of British Columbia an annual grant for the beautification of the capital of the province. We, on this section of Vancouver Island, are conscious of the fact that our community is already nationally and internationally known for the beauty of its setting and its scenery, and we feel a serious responsibility in preserving its natural charm in order that the reputation of our community may be continued and enhanced. We realize also the immense value of tourist travel to Vancouver Island and to the Province; and that what we are asking is not an expenditure upon tourist attractions and the preservation of the natural beauties of this part of the Province, if we do not receive our full share of tourist benefits.

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Bill Tilden Declares Australia Dark Horse In Davis Cup Tennis

Famous American Net Star Says Auzzies Have Outside Chance to Reach Interzone Net Finals—Team Composed of Youngsters

By WILLIAM T. TILDEN, II
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Bill Tilden

Bill Tilden, the dark horse of the 1930 Davis Cup competition and the unknown quantity in the European zone, Australia, has not been lucky in its draw, since it meets England in the round of eight, then, if successful, Italy in the semi-final, with Japan as the logical finalist. Thus, to reach the interzone final, it must beat all three of its most dangerous rivals.

Australia is planning its faith to a young and comparatively inexperienced team. Its position is like that of the United States. It is a year of constructive effort with an eye to

the future. Yet, for all that, they have a real chance to do something this year.

Their team consists of Jack Crawford, Harry Hopman and E. Moon, who have already played in European tennis, and a newcomer to Davis Cup ranks, J. Willard. It is a team that averages in the middle twenties, a team of youth and power, crude but dangerous.

CRAWFORD IS LEADER
Jack Crawford, the leading singles star, is a player of remarkably fine stroke equipment. He has great ease in execution, fine style and wonderful natural ability. His service is sound, his ground strokes are accurate drives, often made off the rising bound like Cochet's.

Crawford is a brilliant but erratic volleyer and has a magnificent overhead. In his stroke equipment Crawford might beat anyone. He has a game that has shots equal to any emergency. Yet I cannot quite see him as a consistent point winner. Temperamentally, Crawford on his last trip some years ago, showed definite weakness. He was inclined to be lazy. He seemed careless at times. He had streaks of lack of confidence that made him far below his best. It seemed to me that he had not a match-winning temperament then, and if that were so, he probably has not yet developed one. I would figure Crawford as a player who may win a point in any tie, but is not likely to bring home two matches.

The second singles choice lies between Moon, the new champion of Australia, who beat Crawford to gain the title, and young Harry Hopman. I think Moon will probably be the selection. Here is a player almost the opposite of Crawford. Moon is a player who wins on his temperamental strength rather than his shots. His game is powerful but crude—a game of many weaknesses of production but with certain great assets of speed and attack. Moon looks less likely to win points than Crawford, yet it would not surprise me to see him make a better record. He is the type of player who is apt to rise to any occasion with a fine effort.

STRONG DOUBLES TEAMS
Young Hopman is a better stroke player than Moon and a fine fighter, but his best game is doubles rather than singles. He has never quite arrived in singles, and it seems logical to believe Moon will support Crawford rather than Hopman in singles. Australia is very lucky to have two first-class doubles teams in Hopman and Crawford, Moon and Willard. I still remember the remarkable match Crawford and Hopman played Brugnon and Cochet at Wimbledon when darkness saved

Ireland Defeats Monaco in Davis Cup Net Series

DUBLIN, May 6.—Ireland emerged the winner over Monaco in first-round Davis Cup tennis competition today. The third and decisive victory for the Irish was gained by G. A. McGuire in a sensational match with V. Lunday, the scores being 13-11, 0-6, 3-6, 6-4, 6-1.

Ireland thus qualified to play Australia in the second round.

The French in the fourth set the first day and two bad decisions at critical points cost the Australian boys the match on the next.

The combination of Crawford and Hopman is certainly one of the best pairs in the world, yet Moon and Willard beat them just prior to leaving Australia. It would seem to me that Crawford and Hopman will be the logical choice for the Davis Cup, owing to their previous experience in Europe, but at least Australia is in the pleasant position of being able to show a doubles team after a tie without any loss of ability.

I cannot say that I would figure the Australian team as having better than an outside chance of reaching the interzone final. The best I can give them in singles against either England, Italy or Japan, is an even break, but I believe they have a definite edge in the doubles. It would not surprise me to see them go down to defeat by losing three singles matches to either England or Italy. Certainly Austin or Morgurgo would be a logical winner over both Crawford or Moon, or if Lee for England or Stefani for Italy can win a match in the singles, Australian would be eliminated.

NEED OLD CAMPAIGNER
I believe that if this young team had a nonplaying captain like Norman Brooks, or Gerald Patterson, or even Jack Hawkes, a man who is thoroughly conversant with the playing problems they must face in Europe, their chances of success would be much greater. It needs an older head than Crawford's to successfully train and play Davis Cup tennis in Europe. It seems a pity that a team that comes as far from home as the Australians should pass up any way of bettering their chances. Certainly the wise guidance of an old campaigner like Brooks or Patterson would prove of inestimable value.

The places where Australia plays her important ties are not in her favor. They must meet England in England, probably at Manchester or Wimbledon, both of which definitely favor the English team. Should they win, which is not at all certain, they must play Italy in Genoa, the same place that saw the disastrous defeat of Patterson and Crawford at the hands of Morgurgo, Stefani and Giamini two years ago.

The remembrance of that defeat cannot fail to upset the Australian morale to some slight degree and confidence. In fact, Morgurgo told me himself they were picking Genoa again because of the former victory. However, if the Australian team

Owner and Pilot Worried

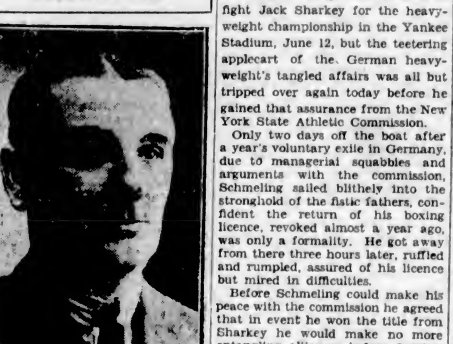


ABOVE are pictured Colonel Jacob Ruppert, owner of the New York Yankees, and Bob Shawkey, former pitcher and now manager of the Yankees, conferring about the team. The colonel is apparently asking Shawkey why his team is in the second division of the American League. Hence the worried look on the second pilot. Being near the foot of the loop is a new experience for the New York owner, whose hirings are the most expensive group in major league baseball.

wins from England and Italy, they will meet Japan or whoever is finalist in Paris, since that would provide a neutral court and also accustomed the winner to the conditions of the interzone final and challenge round. I have a feeling that Australia will not survive England and Italy, but if they do I believe they will beat Japan.

Should they meet the United States in the interzone final, following such a series of ties as these necessary to qualify for the match, they will be in fine condition, and I believe a close and most bitterly contested battle will be waged before the challenger of France is decided. It would not surprise me to see either team victorious. The United States will have a terrible battle to reach the challenge round in 1930.

Refereed English Cup Football Final



T. CREWE
Of Leicester, who was the referee at the final between Arsenal and Huddersfield at Wembley Stadium Saturday, April 26.

WANER CONTINUES TO LEAD PARADE

Pirate Slurper Remains at Top of Big Six With 500 Average—Babe Ruth Makes Gain

Paul Waner continued to hit at a 500 clip yesterday, cracking out two hits in four times at bat against the Giants to hold his place at the top of the National League and "big six" batters.

Babe Ruth was the other regular to get two hits, going to bat five times against Cleveland and boosting his average to .353.

Joe Judge, of Washington, slugged his way to the top of the American League batsmen with two hits in three times at bat against Detroit and gained a place in the "big six," while Bill Cissell dropped out.

Judge went into third place behind George Fisher, who was kept idle by rain and remained at the .429 mark. Hornsby failed to hit.

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Fisher, Cardinals - 18 63 15 27 .429
Judge, Senators - 18 66 10 28 .394
Simmons, Athletics - 16 67 18 26 .388
Ruth, Yankees - 16 63 16 21 .333
Hornsby, Cubs - 14 43 4 10 .233

Foul Ruling for Fields-Thompson Fight Unchanged

DETROIT, May 6.—The Michigan Boxing Commission declined today to give its sanction to any deviation from the rules regarding fouls in the welterweight championship bout between Jackie Fields and Young Jack Thompson at Olympia Stadium, Friday night.

Gig Rooney, manager for the champion, brought up the subject and proposed that in event of an injury from a low blow, the fight be stopped for five minutes or more in order to allow the fouted fighter to be attended to.

Thompson's manager, Ray Alvin who previously had been represented as agreeing to this procedure, objected.

Young Artist: "You are the first of my models I have ever kissed!"
Model: "How many have you had?"
"Four! An apple, a banana, a bouquet and you!"

Earl Sande Made Big Gamble in Making Return to Saddle

Decided to Take Ten Per Cent of Gallant Fox's Winning Instead of Straight \$10,000 Guarantee From Owner.

By GEORGE DALRY
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Earl Sande, in his riding comeback, is gambling on the skill he has and the power of one horse for the bulk of his income. He has contracted to ride William Woodward's Gallant Fox in all engagements this season, but in choosing between a flat retaining fee and 10 per cent of all purses won he boldly settled on the latter. Such confidence in himself and the colt he rode to such impressive victory in the Wood Memorial Stakes is infectious.

Sande is satisfied in his own mind that he can return to the form which made him the leading jockey in the country for a number of years. With his usual painstaking care he did not come to the conclusion until he had spent a month galloping horses in the mornings and testing to the full his old judgment of pace which counted so heavily in the success he enjoyed.

There are those who take a doubt, but no sound reason can be advanced on the question. Sande still is young enough. He has been out of the saddle only a year—really not that long—as he rode two or three of his own horses last season, when experimenting as an owner-trainer and his financial hurt, and galloped many of them in the work hours.

He ever has been a boy of good habits and is in fine physical condition, which can be retained if he does not attempt to reduce below a natural weight of 116 pounds. He is too wise and thinks too much of his health to do that.

Sande could have signed for a flat retaining fee of \$10,000 with regular riding fees on the side, but he chose to gamble on earning more than that in just two races—the Preakness at Pimlico next Friday, May 8, and the Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs, May 17.

Each will pay around \$54,000 to the winner and \$20,000 to the runner-up, arithmetic shows that 10 per cent of \$108,000 will amount to \$10,800. In the long history of these two historic fixtures, going back over fifty years, Sir Barton is the only horse to win both. Gallant Fox looks like the kind of a horse to repeat this famous double.

The jockey, however, is aiming even higher in his chance-taking choice. In addition to the Preakness and the Kentucky Derby, Gallant Fox is eligible for the Belmont Stakes of \$50,000, the American classic of \$75,000 at Chicago, and other rich three-year-old engagements.

Man o' War is the only horse in the history of the American turf to climb into the golden circle of horses winning \$200,000 or more in the second year of racing. Gallant Fox may do what Man o' War did. If so, Sande will profit to the extent of over \$200,000 by his sporting choice. A romance of racing is in the making.

Sir Barton won the Kentucky Derby, Preakness, Withers and Belmont in quick succession as a three-year-old in 1919. That record never has been equaled. Gallant Fox can beat it if he follows up his victory in The Wood by winning the Preakness, Derby, Belmont and Withers in quick succession. Roughly he would win \$250,000 and Sande's share would be \$25,000. Few will admit that it's in the book. Probably not with racing so uncertain, but there's the chance and the come-back jockey elected to take it.

With one racing romance in the making another is completed. In the Spring of last year Willie Shea claimed Sandy Ford, the one-eyed horse out of a selling race for \$2,500 and gave him to his wife. And now Sandy Ford is winner of the historic Dixie handicap and its rich purse of \$26,025. Like Golden Prince, which won the Cofroth Handicap of \$100,000 in 1929, a selling price is glorified in racing.

She will not hear of Sandy Ford being called a selling plate any longer. He calls him first class and surely he is middle class if not better. Some good horses were behind him last Monday, including Dr. Freeland, Toro, Sortie and Beacon Hill. He forced the pace, ran under high pressure through the last furlong and covered the distance in fast time. He was under light weight, to be sure, but he gave freedom of his speed and proved his game-ness. He could not be bought now for \$25,000. Quite a jump in value from \$2,500 over a stretch of twelve months.

Gallant Fox, by the way, will be favorite for the Preakness of \$60,000 over one mile and three-sixteenths at historic Pimlico next Friday. That is sure. His victory is not so sure considering the hazards of racing, but reasonably so.

This race is the opening engagement in the battle of the three-year-olds which will be carried on in the Kentucky Derby, at Louisville, the Withers and Belmont Stakes at Belmont Park, the Dwyer at Aqueduct, the American Derby and

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Bobby Jones is the only golfer who has held three national titles at the same time. He was still holder over amateur champion of the United States when he won the British and United States open titles in 1926.

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THE Sportlight

BY
GRANTLAND RICE

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It so happens that one William O. Tilden, II, in addition to being the tennis champion of the United States, has just won the tennis championship of Italy. If it wasn't for a fellow by the name of Henri Cochet he might become the individual champion of all nations.

Tilden has been playing almost as well as he ever played and through a hard campaign has worked himself into amazing condition for a veteran. All of which makes one wonder just what might happen if "Big Bill" suddenly announced that he had changed his mind and was willing to report for Davis Cup play if needed.

Vinnie Richards still thinks this will happen. He also thinks this is America's only chance to win. Tilden can beat Borotra, probably, and there is a good chance that George Lott can do the same. This would give the United States two matches with at least an even chance to win the doubles.

Guessing Tilden's next move is a good test for the world's champion. But the tall one is chock full of dramatic instinct and he has been gradually approaching the spot where he might decide to make some announcement to the general effect that he would play, if needed. All of which would be no heavy blow to the French Tennis Association, as Tilden is still a big money man at the gate and the French proved a year ago in the Tilden controversy that a big card at the gate is not to be cast aside too lightly.

A CERTAIN RECORD
The run of admissions in baseball up to date indicate the two major leagues are almost certain to set a new attendance record that should pass the old by many thousands. Which is all well enough. Baseball provides amusement for millions through the Spring and Summer months haven't the time or money for golf or tennis.

And it is one game that has stuck by the old prices with only trifling increases here and there. There will be a certain number of weak spots as the campaign slips along and the home club steps out upon the soapy and well-greased chute. But there will be enough tennis clubs in the hunt or hanging onto the fringe of the championship chase to keep public interest keen through most of the Summer.

Chicago should lead again, with New York second, but if the Yanks and Giants keep chugging along, with a fair chance to arrive in front, the Eastern metropolis may take the lead which the Cubs now hold.

ONE TITLE ALREADY
It seems that practically no mention has been made of the fact that Max Schmeling won the ping pong championship of the ship that brought him to port.

This may be considered mild news in some circles but my informant states that Schmeling's ping pong triumph was due to extreme lightness on his feet and celerity with his hands, two qualities that have a leading place in boxing.

According to my informant, who came over with the German: "Schmeling proved to be good as any ship apt to be tackled. He is one of those natural athletes with a true sense of timing. He is a serious fellow who concentrates on whatever he is doing with a singular intensity. I saw quite a little of him coming over, and found him to be smart, shrewd and unusually alert. He is a natural athlete. If I ever saw one. Even in playing games he had never tried before, there was no touch of awkwardness or clumsiness, and I don't think I ever saw such a pair of hands and wrists."

Impaired Vision
The grass is green, the sky is blue and blossoms crown the land; But how can the duffer see all this? From his stance in the sand?

Bob Grove, of the Athletics, has a blister on his pitching finger. Where there is a smokeball there must be fire.

There is a report that the new sixty-six-story building going up in New York will be used exclusively for Tilden's tennis trophies. Arrangements have been made to add a few extra stories, if necessary.

Walker Cup golfers now have just a week in which to get ready for the coming matches at Sandwich. There is a general feeling that the British have their best chance in many years to win the cup for the first time over this layout, always baffling, but even more so when the weather kicks up.

The United States team is much stronger on paper, and it would be much stronger on any golf course over here. But the invading team in

golf is always under a handicap. A large part of this is due to the difference in greens. Over here it is possible to pitch up to the pin on our softer greens. Over there any such play is often impossible on the harder, unwatered greens, where the pitch-and-run method must be followed.

The change will bring a certain amount of bother to all those on the team facing their first foreign competitions.

"What will happen to Carnera now?" asks H. P. It is still unlikely that a million-dollar plant will be permitted to go to seed. Such things rarely happen.

They have now made the Athletics a 1-2 choice in the American League, but any stampee to cover these odds has not yet developed.

U.S. WALKER CUP GOLFERS REACH O.C.
Bobby Jones Declares His Team Will Have Job on Hands to Defeat Representatives

SMITH QUALIFIES IN PRO TOURNEY

LONDON, May 6.—America's invading golf forces of 1930 were fully mobilized in Great Britain today.

Bobby Jones and the Walker team reached London; Glenna Collett and the other women approached the scene of next week's championship, and Horton Smith began a professional campaign as the lone player from the United States among the three hundred starters in the Northern professional championship event at Southport.

Jones and Jimmy Johnston remained with the Mauretania until it reached Southampton. They arrived here tonight, but the other crack amateurs departed at Plymouth and came here at noon.

At Plymouth Jones was greeted by a number of English friends. He told them he was heading a first team, but did not underestimate the task the Americans face at Sandwich. He expressed the opinion that the team's chances were good.

"But," Jones said, "I am sure that we shall have a very hard fight, for I think that Great Britain has got together her strongest team in years. I myself have been playing very well, I suppose, but having played a lot of golf, I don't like to say too much about that. I have not played for three weeks, however, and got only a little practice on the boat. We shall see how we shape up when we get down to hard practice."

Jones would not commit himself on probable pairing of his men in the foursomes. The junior member of the team, Donald Moe, evidently was thrilled over his first visit to England.

"The responsibility thrown upon us by the Golf Association rather frightens me," he said; "but I am determined to play my very best. I know I'll have a wonderful time."

Douglas Fairbanks also arrived on the Mauretania with the intention of seeing the matches. He said that he had gone so far mad that he just could not remain in Hollywood while his fellow countrymen were battling in England. He was even more optimistic of the team's chances than was Jones himself.

The Americans declined all invitations to play in tournaments before the match with Great Britain. It was Jones' opinion that the men can best get rid of their sea legs by practice among themselves. They will go to Adlington, Walton Heath or Sunningdale tomorrow.

SMITH QUALIFIES
The professional championship at Southport, where Horton Smith's thirty-six hole score of 148 assured him a place among the 100 qualifiers, drew a record entry of 310 professionals in the qualifying rounds today.

Henry Cotton, with an eighteen-hole score of 68, broke the Birkenhead record and led the field with a thirty-six hole score of 140.

C.P.R. SOFTBALL
Following is the schedule of the Canadian Pacific Inter-Department Softball League:

May 7—Telegraphs vs. Offices.
May 10—Empress vs. E. & N. Shops.
May 14—E. & N. Shops vs. Telegraphs.

May 17—Offices vs. Empress.
May 21—E. & N. Shops vs. Offices.
May 25—Empress vs. Telegraphs.
May 28—Offices vs. Telegraphs.
May 31—E. & N. Shops vs. Empress.

June 4—Telegraphs vs. E. & N. Shops.
June 7—Offices vs. Empress.
June 11—Telegraphs vs. Offices.
June 14—Empress vs. E. & N. Shops.

June 22—Telegraphs vs. Empress.
June 25—E. & N. Shops vs. Offices.
June 29—Empress vs. Telegraphs.
All games will be played at Victoria West Park, the first-named team being the home team.

Percy Norman Heads Vancouver Swimming
VANCOUVER, May 6.—Members of the Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club gathered around the festive board at the Vancouver Crystal Pool last night for the annual meeting and banquet of the club.

In the election of officers Percy Norman was unanimously re-elected president, and Alderman E. W. Dean was returned as honorary president.

Canada's 1930 Davis Cup Team Selected to Meet U.S.



CANADA'S 1930 Davis Cup team was selected recently at a meeting of the committee. The team will play the United States team in the first round of the American zone at Philadelphia, May 15, 16 and 17 on the courts of the Bala Country Club. The team selected by the committee consists of Dr. Jack Wright, Willard Crocker and Marcel Rainville, all of Montreal, and Gilbert Nunn, of Toronto. The committee recognized the outstanding ability of Dr. Wright by appointing him captain of the team and he will have full power to select the players for the singles and doubles when the team reaches Philadelphia. The players from left to right are: (1) Marcel Rainville, (2) Willard Crocker, (3) Dr. Jack Wright, captain; (4) Gilbert Nunn.

The Gamest Act I Ever Saw

As Told By Frankie Frisch to J. P. Glass

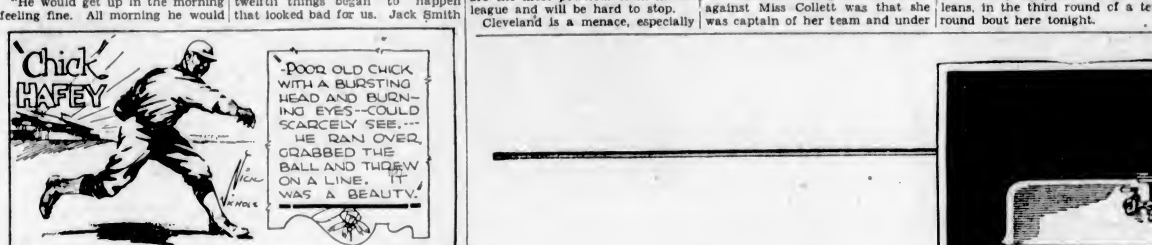
"Speaking of game fellows," said Frankie Frisch, "I guess you have to give the palm to Charlie Hayef of our club."

"Yes," went on the great second baseman of the Cardinals. "If gameness was baseball, Hayef would surely bat 1,000."

"The fans have known that Charlie has had a lot of trouble with his eyes, due to sinus trouble. Last year they saw him playing with spectacles; but few have learned the exact effects of the complaint from which he suffered."

"Here was what he was up against: When he was not playing he felt all right, but the minute he got out on the playing field, and started to run around, his head began to ache. The longer he played the harder it pained him."

"He would get up in the morning feeling fine. All morning he would



be all right; but game-time meant headache-time for him.

"You can imagine what a trial that would be. Figure it out—every day going to work meant going to sickness. What would most of us do in such a situation? We'd be apt to let the work slide, wouldn't we? You bet!"

"But Hayef wasn't built that way. He not only went to work, but he kept doing his job better and better. I doubt if any player ever broke into the National League under such circumstances and made good. Hayef not only made good, but he did on a pennant-contending team, where he had the strongest kind of competition."

"All the time he was battling to succeed he actually hated to go out to the park each afternoon."

"He understood I don't remember how many operations. At one time he was almost blind in his left eye."

"It was Chick's gameness as much as anything else that helped the Cardinals win their second pennant in 1928."

"All year he figured in keeping us near the top. At the very tail-end of the season he pulled a stunt that just about won for us."

"It was the Friday before the season closed. We were playing at Boston. The Giants, who were right at our heels, were playing Chicago in New York. Before the game our standing was 616, that of the Giants 609. If they won and we lost we would be tied for the lead."

"As usual Hayef developed a headache as soon as the game started. What with the tension of the struggle, however, it soon grew worse than usual."

"A lot of the rest of us had headaches after the first inning for Jack Smith, of the Braves, doubled and Rogers Hornsby followed with a triple."

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reached second, whereupon Heinie Mueller poked a ground hit to left field.

"Smith had taken a good lead off second. He ran for home with what looked like the winning run as fast as he could foot it."

"In a flash it was up to Chick Hayef to save the game and maybe the pennant for us—poor old Chick with a burning head and burning eyes that could scarcely see."

"He did it. He grabbed the ball and threw it over the fence. It was a beauty."

Chick HAFEF
"POOR OLD CHICK WITH A BURNING HEAD AND BURNING EYES—COULD SCARCELY SEE—HE GRABBED THE BALL AND THREW IT OVER THE FENCE. IT WAS A BEAUTY."

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The Listening Post
By WALTER TRUMBULL
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Out yonder on the bases Time runs and slips away. While fans, once swift and youthful, Are growing old and grey. Less easy marks for folly, Less quick to fume and rage, They show the contemplation Which comes with ripe age; But, though in many matters They keep emotions hid, Fans do not love the umpire Much better than they did.

Now that the Eastern and Western teams in the big leagues are playing each other, we shall see what we shall see. The league standings are likely to show changes in the next week or two.

"My one chance," Bill McKeechie said to me in Florida, "is to put together a combination that can hit. If you can make one more run than the other fellow, you undoubtedly win a ball game."

Bill's Boston Braves are beginning to present being considered sure tail-enders. Walter Berger, the outfielder from the Pacific Coast, has been smacking the ball of late. When the pitchers learn a bit more

about him, he may not hit so well, but he looks like a natural clouter.

Paul Waner, a great batsman, and Comorosky have been doing fine stickwork for Pittsburgh and, if you don't believe Brooklyn can hit, just ask the Giant pitchers. The Chicago Cubs, playing on their own grounds, should do well. Chicago, with its side arm pitchers hurling out of the background of the crowd, is tough to beat in its own park. The Giants always are a good road team, but McGraw still has a second base problem, although Crawford can hit and Marshall can field.

In the American League, the Chicago White Sox are living up to the nice things said of them by Ernest Barnard and Connie Mack. They are a greatly improved team, and much of the improvement is due to Cissell at second base.

Detroit started poorly, because the Tigers are primarily a hitting club and the heavy wall-poppers have not been doing their stuff. The same thing has been true of the Yankees, but the Yanks are too strong a club to stay in the second division. The Athletics are not starting with the rush they did last season, but they are the most powerful team in the league and will be hard to stop.

Cleveland is a menace, especially

as the team should grow stronger with the return of some absentees. Washington got the jump on its adversaries and is playing splendid ball, but it is too early to tell whether the Senators can keep to the pace they have set. Everyone is glad to see Walter Johnson leading a winning club.

If Bobby Jones is beaten, Or Glenna falls to cop, Their golf cups differs sweeten With many brands of hop: For "Should a dub," they ponder, "Mind tearing up the sod, Or care how wide he wander When Jove and Juno nod?"

The English women were too good for their opponents from the United States in the cup matches over the Sunningdale course. They deserved to win.

It is not necessary to find excuses for as good a golfer as Glenna Collett. To climb off an ocean liner and plunge into a championship match is not conducive to top form; but Maureen Orcutt won her match under the same conditions, although against probably lesser opposition.

I think one thing which worked against Miss Collett was that she was captain of her team and under

a bit of additional strain. It is a well-known fact that Mrs. Helen Willis Moody did not wish to captain the Wightman Cup tennis team. Captaining any team which crosses an ocean to play is more than a formality.

Strive always to be kind and mild, For cruelty's a sin; But do not pet the tiger, child, Nor chuck the cobra's chin.

Berkley Bell got a cramp in his leg which may have cost him a match against Hunter. H. W. Austin collapsed from cramp against Dr. Landmann, of Germany. Tennis requires as much stamina and as fine physical condition as any game played.

There are two ways to get in shape for a golf match. One is to go to bed early the night before. The other is to sit up all night and memorize the rule book.

The most annoying shot in golf is the sliced putt.

SANTA FE, N.M., May 6.—Eddie Mack, 135, Alamosa, Colo., knocked out Johnny Simpson, 135, New Orleans, in the third round of a ten-round bout here tonight.

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NAVY WILL MEET SAANICH UNITED

Midweek Soccer Eleven to Clash in McKay Shield Semi-Final at Beacon Hill Park Today

With their chance of gaining permanent possession of the McKay Shield hanging on the outcome of this year's series, Navy mid-week soccer eleven, will be at full strength today when they meet Saanich United in the semi-final round at Beacon Hill Park at 2:45 o'clock. Hewison will referee.

The sailors have won the shield for three consecutive seasons and victory again this year will give them the shield for keeps.

Saanich United have the distinction of holding the shield in a draw in regular league schedule, and with a full team out today might possibly make things interesting for the present holders of the shield.

The gate receipts of this series will go to the injured players' fund.

COGGINS COMING TO MEET BROOKS

Tacoma Grappler to Appear in Semi-Final at Brown-McCarthy Show at Tillamook Gym Saturday

Billy Coggins, Tacoma exponent of the mat pastime, has been secured to oppose "Rocky" Brooks, Victoria Iron Man, in the semi-final round of the Brown-McCarthy feud at the Tillamook Gymnasium Saturday night. The Tacoma grappler is reported as being tough, strong as a lion and well versed in all the tricks of the bone bending and twisting racket. Brooks, with two consecutive victories under his belt, will be out to number Coggins among his list of victims. He was given a lay-off last week and will be in the pink of condition for the grid Saturday.

One other preliminary has yet to be arranged to complete the card.

SCORES QUICK O.K.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., May 6.—Dick "Honey Boy" Finnegan, Boston lightweight, scored a quick knockout over Clyde "Lightning" Davis, Los Angeles negro, here tonight, dropping his opponent with a right hook in fifty seconds. Davis was on the floor at the ten-second mark also. The match was scheduled for ten rounds.

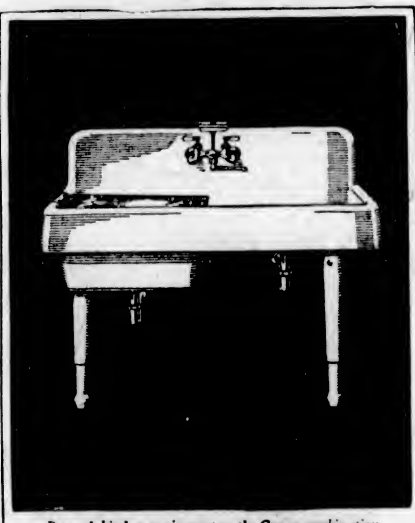
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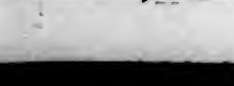
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Festival First Day Highly Gratifying To Many Attending

Continued from Page 1

ing manner of their delivery made them acceptable even when there might have been some difference of opinion. Mr. R. W. Gibson, who judged the vocal solos for boys and girls under thirteen years, gave some particularly happy criticism in connection with his adjudication of "A Country Song." Not one boy in a thousand in his home town, he thought, might have such a naturally pleasing voice as any one of the twenty competitors in Victoria Musical Festival's Class 12. He said: "But most of the Prairie children would have a much more intimate knowledge of country life and the joys of the farm than was apparent in the rather sad and serious attempt to pervade the local boys' singing of the verses. The glowing picture of ploughing, seed-time, and harvest held the lively attention of his young audience, and it was very apparent in the finals in the evening that the lesson had struck home in one instance, at least, where the version was considerably happier."

This class, incidentally, is an innovation in the festival programme, and was one of the most delightful incidents of the day. Open to boys or girls under thirteen years, the accompanist also had to be under thirteen. In the twenty solos and the accompanist, a wonderful galaxy of youthful talent was heard, and the teamwork of the little musicians gave a peculiar and novel interest to the occasion. The competitors were judged as a team rather than as soloists. If anything, the greater interest centred in the accompanist, this being the rarest gift in very young children. Some astonishingly fine talent was heard. The winner of the competition was the Billie Ingis, whose singing of the last musical festival here has brought him considerably before the public during the past year. He had a very accomplished little accompanist in Dorothy Plumb.

Brian Burdon Murphy's success in winning the intermediate pianoforte was popular. Peggy Horne, pupil of Mr. Stanley Stale, came within very narrow margin of dividing the honors. This was rather a heavy class to run through with preliminary and final entries. Mr. David Campbell, the adjudicator, offered some very valuable suggestions about the playing of Schumann. He also noted that the



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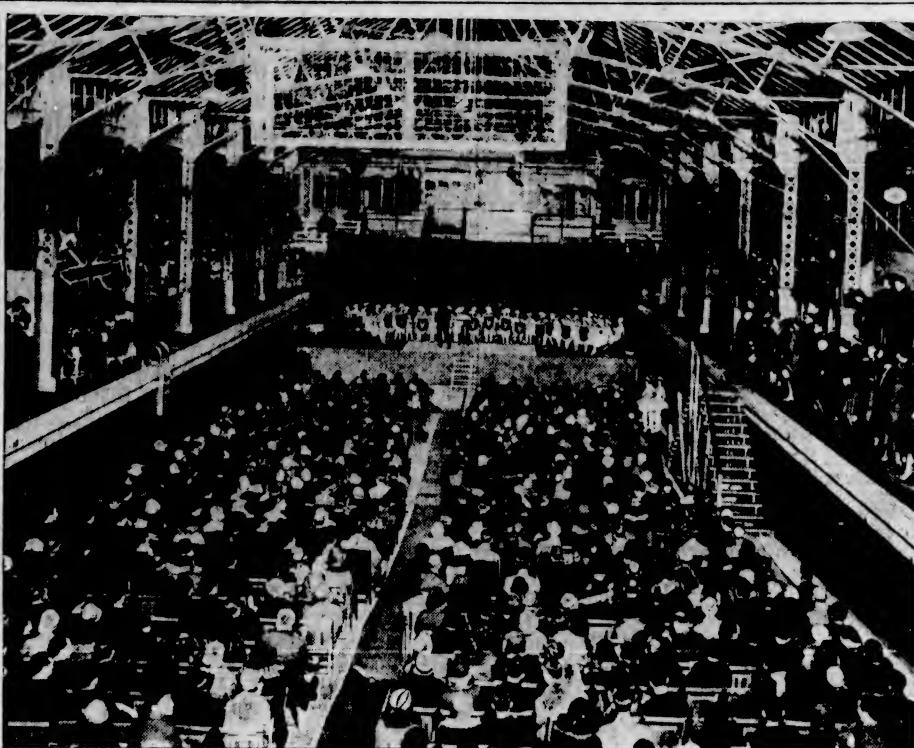
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Floor of Bath in Use as Auditorium



The Above Picture, Taken by Flashlight on Monday Evening on the Occasion of the Girls' Band Concert, Shows the Crystal Gland Swimming Bath Drained to Be Used as an Auditorium. This Picture Gives an Uncommon View of the Interior of the Building.

piece, "Anitra's Dance" (Peer Gynt Suite). First, Sidney Public School (only entrant), trained by Miss Miriam Peck. Adjudicator, Mr. Gibson.

Class 45—Pianoforte solo; elementary boys, competing for silver medal given by Alderman J. Worthington. Test pieces, (a) No. 26, "Album for the Young" (Schumann); (b) "Italy" (Thompson). First, Albert Harold Arman (Vancouver), 174; second, Alexander Ord, 171.

Class 57—Piano, eight playing; under nineteen, competing for silver medal given by Mr. J. R. Scoby. Adjudicator, Mr. David Campbell. Class 57—Piano, eight playing; under nineteen, competing for silver medal given by Mr. J. R. Scoby. Adjudicator, Mr. David Campbell.

Class 1—Public schools, primary grades 1 and 2, twenty to thirty voices, competing for David Spencer, Ltd. Challenge Shield, now held by Oaklands School. First, Oaklands School, Miss McKay, 133; second, Kingston Street Public School, Miss Grace Adams, 149. (In this competition no competitor attained sufficient marks to win the shield, 80 per cent being required.) The adjudicator was Mr. Ronald W. Gibson.

Class 6—Public rural elementary schools, girls, boys or mixed. Confined to schools of four or five rooms, competing for Canadian Bank of Commerce Cup, held by McKenzie

Litchfield. (a), Fripon" (Bullock-Webster); (b), "Someone" (Walter de la Mare). Winner, George Granden Weeks Little, 179; second, Leslie Clarke, 176. Adjudicator, Miss Sutton.

Class 17—Vocal solo, soprano under 19 years, competing for silver medal given by Mrs. Georgina Watt. Test piece, "A Woodland Madrigal" (Robert Batten). Winner, Winifred Parmler, 81; second, Violet Barlow (Vancouver), Adjudicator, Dr. Healey Willan.

Class 35—Vocal solo, baritone, competing for silver medal given by Victoria Motorcycle Club (winner of this also open to compete in Rose Bowl competition). Test pieces, (a) "The Pilgrim Song" (Tschakovsky); (b) "Land of Heart's Desire" (Martin Shaw). Winner, Maudie Humphreys with 164; second, Arnold W. Trevitt, 155. Adjudicator, Dr. Healey Willan.

Class 79—Elocution, primary Girls under ten years, competing for silver medal given by Mr. F. Brown. Test pieces, (a) "Fairies" (Fyfe-Mann); (b), "If No One Ever Loves Me" (Tadema). Winner, L. Dorothy Davies, 176; second, Catherine Angus, 174. Adjudicator, Miss Sutton.

Class 80—Elocution, primary, boys under ten years, competing for silver medal given by Alderman H. O.

Class 81—Elocution, junior girls under thirteen years, competing for silver medal given by Mr. Richard Pelton. Test pieces, (a) "In the Woods" (F. G. Scott); (b) "A Day to Spare" (Edith Elias). First, Audrey Douglas Nixon, 170; second, Dorothy Davies, 167; marks. Adjudicator, Miss Vida Ravenscroft Sutton.

Class 82—Elocution, junior boys under thirteen years, competing for silver medal given by Trustee G. A. A. Hebden. Test pieces, (a) "The Croaker" and (b) "The Night Wind" (Eugene Field). First, Richard L. Hughes, 172; second, Bill Ingis, 171. Adjudicator, Miss Sutton.

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FOUND GUILTY OF OBTAINING MONEY BY FALSE PRETEXTS

NEW WESTMINSTER, May 6.—Charles Peterson was found guilty on two counts and pleaded guilty on a third on charges of obtaining money under false pretences in the Assize Court today. Chief Justice A. Morrison presided.

Evidence showed that the accused had cashed a cheque for \$10 at the Royal Bank of Canada in Langley, B.C., on February 18. This cheque was made payable to cash on the Imperial Bank of Canada, Vancouver, where no account was carried by Peterson.

The cheque was cashed by the teller on the strength of the initials of Mr. C. M. Coulter, Government liquor vendor at Langley, B.C., vouching for the authenticity of the signature.

Cheques for \$15 and \$33 were cashed for Peterson by the same teller on February 19, under the same circumstances. Accused later made restitution of the sum of \$30.

Defence pleaded no criminal intent, owing to the irresponsibility of the teller.

Man (entering shop)—I see some body has broken your window, I bet you can't get a pane of glass like that under \$2.

Shopkeeper—You have lost! I only paid \$36 for it.

Man—Then I may as well pay you now. I am the man who broke it, and you sent me a bill for \$2.

Bloodshed Occurs In Cities of India

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situation had reached its tensest crisis. Industry and trade felt the full force of the "passive resistance" effort, being virtually at a standstill in most of the larger cities. Schools and colleges remained closed, their students participating in the demonstrations.

IN BOMBAY
In Bombay more than half of the cotton mills ceased operation, two-thirds of India's production of textiles is temporarily at a standstill. There were battles between Gandhi demonstrators and strike breakers attempting to maintain mill operations.

At Navsari, Mrs. Gandhi and her husband urged a multitude to "put aside weakness" and become free, declaring if they failed Gandhi would never be released, or if released, never would want to see them again.

Serious disorders occurred in Simla, Calcutta, Rangoon, Lahore and Jubbulpur, all of the most disquieting nature.

OBJECTS OF ONSLAUGHT
High officials' motor cars were the objects of onslaughts, and police had to resort to the use of pistols in repelling the surging crowds, although there was no bloodshed from that cause.

Down the main streets of Bombay this evening marched an extraordinary procession of Indians carrying banners inscribed with Nationalist slogans.

Six and seven abreast the demonstrators marched in a solid mass extending for more than a mile. All traffic was held up along the line of march and at all intersecting streets for more than an hour while the procession passed.

Police surveyed the procession closely and maintained order without resort to violence.

CAUSES UNEASINESS
Calcutta dispatches indicated the situation there was causing uneasiness.

Detachments from the Eastern Frontier Rifles and 100 men from the 12th Frontier Regiment were posted at Howrah, a suburb, where forty-nine arrests were made as a result of disturbances today. This small city, across the Hooghly River from Calcutta proper, is an important industrial centre and a terminus of the East Indian Railway.

Several trains on the railway, outwards from Howrah, were prevented from leaving a station four miles distant, by a mob that uncoupled the coaches and stoned them. Special trains containing police and soldiers were sent to the rescue.

Is it Worth \$5.00 a day to protect them?

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

OIL STOCKS IN VANCOUVER ON UPWARD TREND

A.P. Consolidated and Calmont Most Active Issues on Market Board — Home Oil Gains

MINES ARE DULL IN COMPARISON

VANCOUVER, May 6.—Under the leadership of A.P. Consolidated and Calmont, values in the oil section on the local stock market swept upward today. The oil section, which has been the most active issue on the board, gained 5¢ to \$1.45. Calmont came next in point of activity and led the lower-priced list with a gain of 24¢ to \$1.73. Home Oil, a higher-priced issue, gained 30¢ to \$6.90. McLeod was up 20¢ at \$1.70. United Oils gained 8¢ to \$3.50, while 5-cent advances were registered by Amalgamated, Vanalta and Mill City. Mayland was up .07 at .92, while C. & E. Corporation jumped 6¢ to \$1.31.

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FRANCO-ITALIAN RACE MENACES

Is Threat to Success of Recent Naval Treaty of London

By PAUL SCOTT MOWBRAY

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PARIS, May 6.—Intensification of the Franco-Italian naval race to a point which may threaten the three-power figures of the London Naval Treaty in the near future now seems assured.

Italy's decision the other day to build 42,000 tons, including a new eight-inch gun cruiser and twenty-two submarines this year will, it is reliably stated, be answered by a French decision to build a complete 44,000 tons already voted here for this year, but to build next year 55,000 tons, including France's eighth eight-inch gun cruiser, a new type of 22,000-ton capital ship with a speed of thirty-two knots and armed with twelve-inch or fourteen-inch guns, destined to give France the dominating position in the Mediterranean.

ENDS AGREEMENT

This means the end of the so-called verbal gentlemen's agreement between the French and British Admiralties, according to which the French in London told the British that in order to help the latter power treaty they would not build over 32,000 tons a year during the next five years, provided always that Italy did not build over 22,000 tons.

This means further that France was apparently not bluffing when it told Italy at the end of the London conference that whatever Italy builds, France will build one-third more.

France's contemplated "reply program" is still in the study stage, but it is understood to have the firm backing of Jacques Louis Dumesnil, Minister of Marine, and the full sympathy of Premier Andre Tardieu and President Gaston Doumergue.

EXPENSIVE CHANGE

It will cost \$70,000,000 instead of the \$50,000,000 which France normally expected to spend, but the French Parliament under the circumstances will, it is predicted, appropriate the money for the Right believes strongly in national defence and the Left dislikes and distrusts the Fascist regime in Italy.

It is commonly said here that Italy will have difficulty in financing her naval race with France, unless she can get new American loans. However, if Italy as a reply to France lays down in 1931 its eighth eight-inch gun cruiser, this will make a total of sixteen for France and Italy together, and Great Britain's two-power standard will be gone unless Great Britain, taking advantage of the escape clause in the London naval treaty, also decides to build at least one more eight-inch gun cruiser, thereby destroying the Anglo-American equilibrium agreed upon at the Rapallo.

WHOLE LIST HAS SLIGHT ADVANCE

New York Stock Market Has Comfortable Day—Amusement Shares Strong

(By BRANSON, BROWN & CO. LTD.)

NEW YORK, May 6.—Today's market has been a quite comfortable affair and considerably tamer than recent sessions. It was a feeling in many quarters at the opening that yesterday's sharp rally marked a turning point. At any rate, soon after the initial transactions, the whole list had progressed fractionally with several cases of full point gains recorded. Short covering cooled the copper in the early transactions, but subsequently the cut in the metal price to 13c announced late yesterday had to be assimilated, with the result that shares of these groups dragged lower through most of the session.

The rest of the list continued along steadily at the improved level, interrupted around noon by a mild reaction, which no doubt represented realizations by operators who bought on yesterday's decline. Soon thereafter, however, the list firmed more forcefully, and with the approach of the final trading hour a decidedly aggressive tone took possession of the market, manifesting itself through the usual trading favorites, such as Radio, General Electric and Steel. Amusement shares showed particular strength, evincing no disposition to react from their high of the day.

While the list did not close at the highs of the day, nevertheless net gains of from 1 to 5 points were quite numerous. Among the individual issues showing conspicuous strength was American Tobacco "B" which opened up about 4 points and attained a gain of about 9 points. The stock has attracted a following based on rumors that earnings are running at the rate of \$20 per share, which may be increased should the wholesale prices of cigarettes be advanced. Also market interest has been stimulated by reports that the stock may be split five for one. It is believed this action would be accompanied by an increase in the dividend from the present rate of \$10 plus \$2 extra.

We believe the market has completed its reaction, and is now in healthy technical condition. While it will be more generally accepted that the business recovery will be a deliberate matter, its certainty is none the less convincing, and we continue to recommend that the buying side be followed, as the more assured avenue of profit.

MONEY MARKET

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 6.—Call money, steady; high, 3 1/2; low, 3; ruling rate, 3 1/2. Time loans steady; 30-day, 3 1/2 to 3 3/4; 90-day, 3 3/4 to 4; 6-month, 4.

Prime commercial paper, 3 3/4 to 4.

AT LONDON

LONDON, May 6.—Money, 2 1/2 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 2 1/4 to 2 3/4; 3-month, 2 1/4 to 2 3/4.

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(By BRANSON, BROWN & CO. LTD.)

NEW YORK, May 6.—Whitney, of Wall Street Financial Bureau, says: Market developments since Friday last have been very promising, with line in line with expectations, the bottom and turn having been made on Monday, and confirmation of this given today, the only interesting comment at this time concerns the possible extent of the advance to be recorded before consideration should be given to the first check to the advance and, therefore, to the probable extent of the secondary reaction.

From present indications the industrial averages should record a more or less straightaway recovery of 15 to 17 points from Monday's average closing level, while the rails should have little difficulty in recovering approximately 10 to 11 average points, and the utilities an equivalent amount. Until approximately such average advances have been recorded, I believe you are entirely correct in your opinion that the reaction in the past two market sessions.

In today's market the industrial used up approximately half of what should be the estimated recovery, while the rail group has exhausted but a little less than one-third of its indicated recovery. Consequently, the outlook is for further advance in the early portion of tomorrow's session, with the first evidence of profit taking developing late tomorrow afternoon. In other words, the total recovery from present indications, will be made in two sessions, interrupted by a relatively moderate setback which will provide at least a good buying point for trading commitments.

Money rates are quite definitely down to stay down for a considerable period of time; indeed, it will occasion no surprise if call rates below 3 per cent are in evidence again this week and for the second time this year. Brokers' loans reports are likewise inaugurating a downward trend, with a substantial reduction indicated for tomorrow, and a total shrinkage in the item of close to half a billion dollars before the trend again is reversed.

Expect Radio to come close to 60 before any portion of tomorrow's advance is administered. Radio Keith should encounter its difficulty around 45. Low's is one of the issues in which a new top for the year is possible.

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PLACER MINING OUTLOOK BRIGHT

Omineca Mining Division Has Bright Prospects for Ensuing Season

(By BRANSON, BROWN & CO. LTD.)

With the revival of interest in placer mining throughout British Columbia, the Omineca mining division is looking forward to an exceptionally active season in 1930.

The old placer mining section around Manson Creek and Germanen Creek, where this branch of mining has been carried on continuously since 1888, and where there was a lively boom in the early '70s, will receive much attention.

On Germanen Creek the McCorkell Brothers, of Vancouver, have a number of leases and have installed the machinery taken in there with a view to aggressive mining. Manson River has a number of leases where George W. Otterson, backed by Robert H. Fleming, of Seattle, and others, will carry on this year in a substantial way. Close to these, on Slate Creek, the Omineca Mining & Smelting Company has a number of leases and will also be active. This whole section bids fair to see a real revival this season. Inspiration is given to it by the new road from Port St. James, started last year at the instance of Hon. W. A. McKenzie, Minister of Mines, and which is being rapidly pushed through towards Manson Creek.

Not far from the vicinity of this road, George Snell, of Vancouver, and his associates, have taken up several creek leases on Robinson Creek, in the Nation River section. They intend to work this season.

HONORS GRANTED TO ACTIVE MILITIAMEN

(By BRANSON, BROWN & CO. LTD.)

OTTAWA, Ont., May 6.—Following awards and honors have been granted to personnel of the permanent and nonpermanent active militia, as follows:

Colonial Auxiliary Forces long service medal: Vancouver, B.C.—Major H. Barker-Benfield, Regt. Sergt.-Major F. H. Wiggins, and Sergt. G. Sutton. Atkins, 1st British Columbia Regiment; Major J. B. Stevenson, Major F. P. Taft, Lieut. D. M. Johnston, D.C.M., Bandmaster J. Gilles, and Sergt. W. F. Smith. Hazelton, B.C.—Lieut. Col. E. J. Cox, Vancouver Regiment.

Armstrong, B.C.—Lieut. Colonel E. Poole, N.C., Rocky Mountain Rangers.

The Colonial Auxiliary Forces officers' decoration: New Westminster, B.C.—Major C. J. Loat, Westminster Regiment.

There's many a slip 'twixt the toe and the heel.

SOUND AUCTION and CONTRACT

by WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

The World's Greatest Authority

Probable Trick Valuation

▲ K 97
▲ Q 92
▲ J 54
▲ 10 98
▲ 8 53
▲ 7 43
▲ 6 52
▲ 5 64
▲ 4 10
▲ 3 107

Auction Bidding

1st Rd. 2nd Rd.
South 1 Pass
West 1 Pass
North 2 Pass
East 2 Pass

Contract Bidding

1st Rd. 2nd Rd.
South 1 Pass
West 1 Pass
North 2 Pass
East 2 Pass

I receive many letters asking me to figure the probable trick value of such suit. This is nothing mysterious or particularly subtle in card valuation. The only mystery is how people can possibly imagine that they can bid any play a game of Auction, and particularly Contract, and not know how to value their cards.

In card players, whatever the game of cards—whether it be Bridge or any other game in which tricks that may be won or lost have a value, always count the number of tricks their cards can surely win, probably, or might possibly take. In other words, good card players always make a practice of counting value, sure, probable, and possible trick-taking value of their cards either at own bid or in support of bid by partner.

Partnership bidding is, or should be, directed towards the showing of the quantity of tricks each partner, in all probability, holds.

Bidding that is understood to convey information only as to the number of high cards held is not quantitative bidding in the true sense of the word.

The length of such an article as this, which holds at least four probable tricks in hand if played with Spades the trump, inclusive of at least two quick tricks to support a possible take-out by partner with another suit, or at No Trump, or a possible double by partner of an adverse bid.

As a matter of fact, South actually holds five probable tricks with Spades the trump, inclusive of 2 1/2 quick tricks, and hence a rebid, if necessary, should partner assist his possible take-out by partner with a five-card suit headed by the A-Q-J is 4 1/2 tricks. Played as a trump, it should take at least four tricks and have half a chance of

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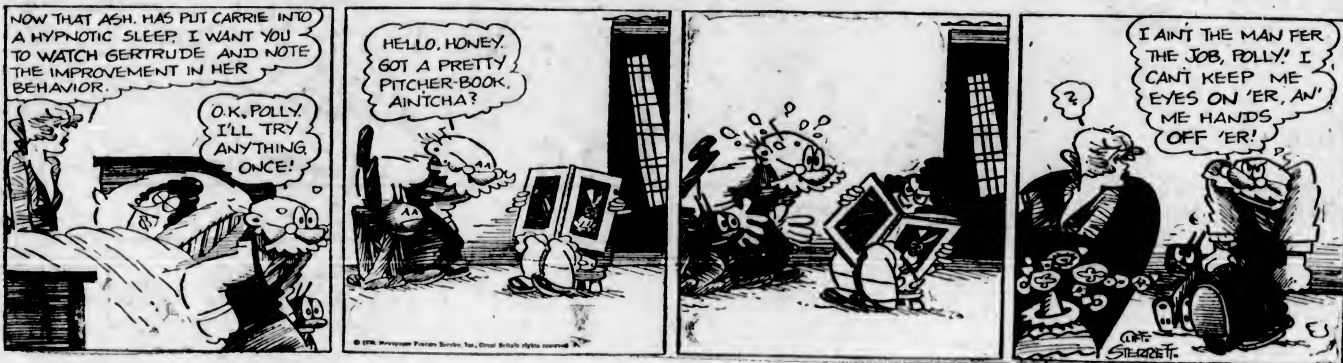
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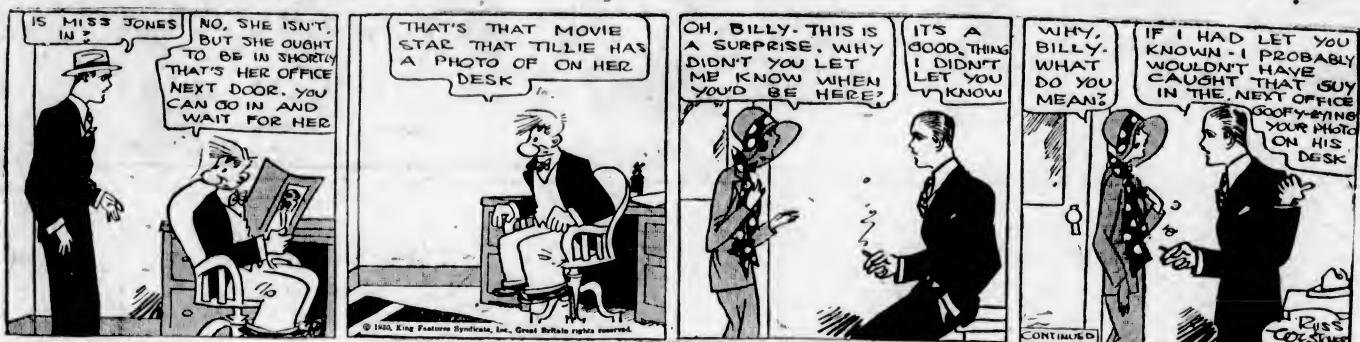
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FOOD COLORINGS

We are accustomed to certain colorings being associated with certain flavors, that is, with the strawberry flavor we visualize red or pink; with lemon or vanilla, some shade of yellow; with cherry, red; with mint, green; cinnamon, pink; lime, green; orange, yellowish red; pineapple and banana, yellow; grapes, purple or blue; violets, purple; pistachio, green; etc. You probably wouldn't enjoy eating meat if it were blue or green, or lemons if they were red, butter if it was black, potatoes if they were green, spinach if it was yellow, eggs if they were brown, etc. This shows how easily our appetites are influenced by our senses. If a food looks good and fresh it is much more appetizing than if it looks wilted or decayed, regardless of the taste.

A few years ago the flour mills, in an effort to popularize white flour, conducted a series of advertisements calculated to show that dark bread resembled dirty bread, and it has taken much publicity for the investigations of health authorities to counteract this effect and teach people that wholewheat bread is more healthful than white bread, and it is only within recent years that the brown or entire wheat bread has become as popular as the white bread. Even yet the brown or raw sugar is not as popular as white, because it has not had much publicity.

If you have been doing much cooking you know that you can make your foods more appetizing by the addition of the right kind of color-

ing to your foods. For example, when you cook rhubarb you can make it much more attractive with the addition of a little beet juice. Gravy is more attractive if the flour used is first browned and, in fact, all other foods seem to taste much better if they appear to have a wholesome coloring. Manufacturers have realized this for many years and they were in their glory when the coal tar colorings were introduced, for they could then take old meat and make it appear bright red; or washed-out peas and string beans and give them a fresh green coloring. They could add yellow to cream, butter and cake to make them appear richer, and they had an endless variety of coloring materials to use in preparing cakes and other foods. Unfortunately, some of the coloring materials used were poisonous and injurious to health, and now the use of coloring materials is regulated by the government of every important civilized country.

It is no doubt pardonable to use some coloring material to enhance the appearance of food, provided it

is not harmful to the health of the one who consumes it, or if it does not lead to misrepresentation or the substitution of inferior foods for the more expensive. Some of the coal tar colorings have been found not to be very harmful and their use is permitted. In North America it is estimated that approximately \$1,126,879 worth of food dyes are used each year, a large portion of them no doubt being used in soda fountain preparations and in candies.

Some of the domestic colorings which are not harmful are red from cherry juice, beet juice, etc.; yellow from saffron or turmeric; blue from indigo; brown from caramel, green from spinach, or by mixing indigo and yellow. A brown preparation frequently used in restaurants is called "monkey" and is simply made by browning a small amount of sugar in a dry frying pan and after it is brown adding enough water to make a liquid. This may be used to give a brown coloring to steaks, soups, gravies, puddings, cake, etc.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy should

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If a lawyer, as an ordinary individual, offered you an apple, he would probably say, "Take an apple," or something similar. But, if he were requested to put this in writing, the chances are that he would turn in something like this: "I hereby give and convey to you all and singular my estate and interests, right, title, claim and advantages of and in said apple, together with all its rind, juice, pulp and pips, and all rights and advantages therein, with full power to bite, cut, chew and otherwise to eat the same or give the same away with or without the rind, juice, pulp or pips, anything hereinbefore or in any other means of whatever nature or kind whatsoever, to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding."

Martians may be made in heaven, but most of the preliminaries are arranged in autos.

ACTION DISMISSED

TORONTO, May 6.—Mr. Justice Orde, in a judgment delivered at Osgoode Hall today, said the proceedings before Commissioner Gordon Waldron, at the Amalgamated Builders' Council inquiry were "absolutely privileged" and granted the affidavit made on behalf of Mr. Waldron for dismissal of the action brought by W. F. O'Connor, K.C., for \$25,000 damages for alleged slander.

The affidavit was upon the ground that the statement of claim disclosed no reasonable cause of action or that the action was frivolous and vexatious.

MOTORING ADMIRAL MIXED

When Admiral James gave evidence in nautical terms during the trial of Mrs. Kathleen Metaxa in a London court recently, on charges of dangerous automobile driving, he created much amusement. A traffic officer had testified that Mrs. Metaxa had pulled out from behind

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JUST LIKE A WOMAN



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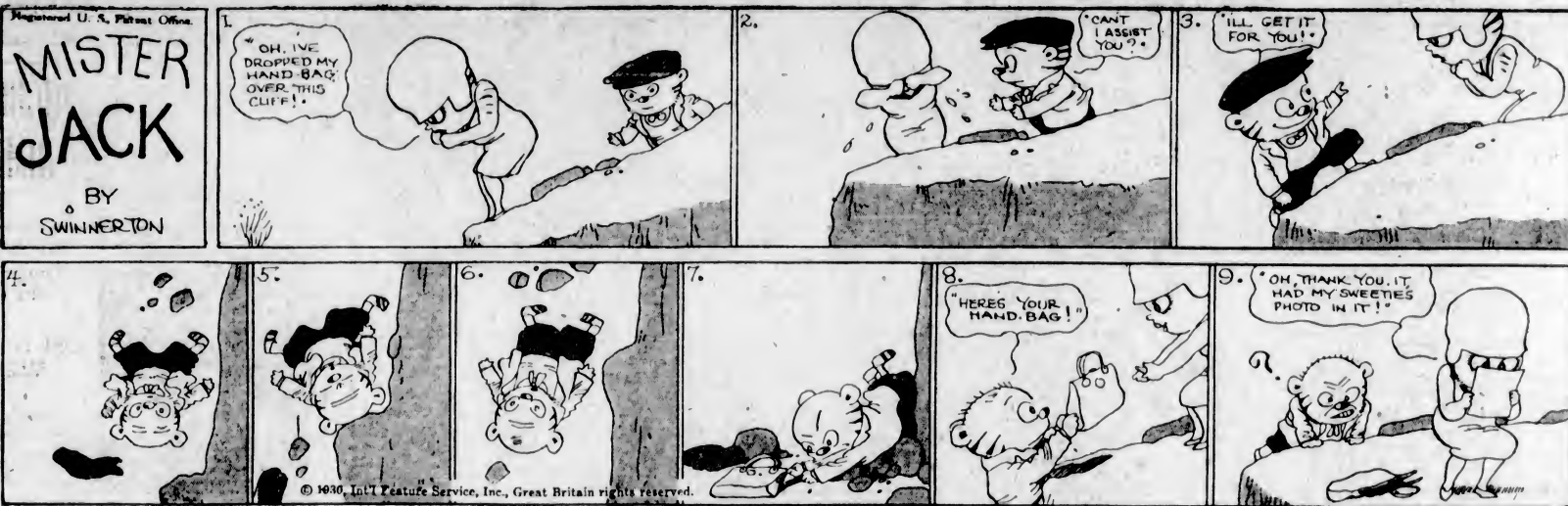


a stationary line of traffic. Admiral James said he was just getting under way when to his amazement Mrs. Metaxa pulled across him from astern. He had to go hard to starboard to avoid a smash. He mounted the pavement and his bow reared in the porchway of a public house. Mrs. Metaxa said she had driven 700 miles in two days on the Continent, where the traffic used the right of the road and she made a momentary mistake. She was fined, and appealed the case.

James (making up his Christmas list): "When I think of all the lonely men in this city, friendless, without family or home at Christmas time, I envy them."

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COMMITTEE FOR PENSIONS STRUCK

Cowichan Branch of Canadian Legion Will Make Drive for New Membership

DUNCAN, May 6.—The Cowichan branch of the Canadian Legion held its regular meeting at the Girl Guides' Hall, Duncan, on Monday evening.

Major G. Boyer, zone representative, was elected to represent Cowichan branch at the forthcoming provincial convention, to be held at Nelson.

Following a special meeting of the executive committee, the president reported that obstacles had arisen regarding the granting of a license for the club, and the committee recommended that further action be deferred until after the appointment of the new liquor board. All contributors are to be advised of this and that the funds in hand will be put in trust. The club committee would in the meantime continue its efforts to collect more finance.

A committee to deal solely with pensions was appointed. This committee will in future be added to the standing committees of the branch. Comrades Sullivan, Purver, Groves and Elagert were unanimously elected to serve on the new pensions committee.

Mr. Robert Macnichol, the provincial secretary, informed his audience that in the three and a half years the Legion has been in existence over 800 branches have sprung up over the Dominion with no fewer than 68,000 members.

There are nine branches in British Columbia. The Federal Government subsidizes the Legion at Ottawa where the service bureau deals with 3,000 cases of pension requiring adjustment last year. A drive for new membership was unanimously agreed upon at the meeting.

Following the general business, Mr. Robert Macnichol gave a most interesting lecture on the part Canada played in the World War, official war photographs being used for the purpose of illustration.

SOCIAL GATHERING AT COLWOOD HALL

Presentation Is Made to Mr. and Mrs. D. McCormick, of Happy Valley

COLWOOD, May 6.—Mr. and Mrs. D. McCormick (nee Brice), of Latoria Road, Happy Valley, were the guests of honor at a social evening held in the Colwood Hall on Saturday evening. More than one hundred guests were present.

Cards and dancing were enjoyed the music being supplied by Miss Kershaw and Mr. H. Simpson. After the grand march Mrs. Killo, dressed as a preacher, went through a mock marriage service.

Mr. P. W. Wilfert, on behalf of the employees of the Wilfert Lumber Company, presented Mr. McCormick with a handsome mantle clock and expressed the esteem in which Mr. McCormick was held by his fellow workers, he being one of the first employees at the mill and always ready to give a helping hand.

The committee in charge were Messrs. P. W. Wilfert, G. M. Piercy, W. A. Greene, H. V. Sunda, Colclough, Little, Oak, Lawton, Benclough, Killo, Oliver, Smallock, Pagan, Parker, Green, Dickinson, Taylor, Baxter, R. Sunda, G. Fookes, Piercy, McLaren, Massey and others.

Water to Ice in Eighty Minutes

Test Just Concluded by Kelvinator Shows Widely Varying Water Conditions

Recently, in forty-nine cities, The Kelvinator Corporation sponsored an automatic fast freezing test, to determine the efficiency of Iso-Thermic Tubes, Kelvinator automatic fast freezing device, available on the 1930 Kelvinator models.

The average time to freeze ordinary tap water was 80 minutes. In some cases, due to high mineral content of the water, it took longer than in others. All tests were certified by prominent persons, including mayors, newspaper men and officials.

Had certain cities not had water of such high mineral content, the average, it is claimed, would be much lower. For instance, the lowest record was 45 minutes; the second, 46 minutes; third, 47 minutes; and, fourth, 48 minutes.

Regular stock model Kelvinators were used in all cases.

This is the most extensive and most complete fast freezing test ever conducted by a manufacturer of automatic electric refrigeration for the home. It is believed by Kelvinator officials to conclusively bear out their claims for the superiority of the 1930 Kelvinators, product of the world's oldest and largest exclusive manufacturer of domestic electric refrigeration.

The success of the Iso-Thermic Tube is reflected in the fact that by Kelvinator of Canada, Limited, London, Ontario, that their sales of domestic Kelvinators have never been so gratifying, and prospects have never been so bright.

FANCY DRESS PARTY HELD AT GANGES

Is Organized by Local Girl Guides, Amid Tasteful Decorations

SALT SPRING ISLAND, May 6.—A most successful children's fancy dress party, which realized nearly \$40, was held last Saturday afternoon in the Mahon Hall, Ganges.

It was organized by the Girl Guides, under the direction of their captain, Mrs. Charlesworth, and enjoyed by a large number of children, about thirty of whom were in fancy costumes.

The decorations were carried out most artistically, with ferns and other evergreens, flags and colored balloons, numerous Spring flowers being used for the stage and tables.

During the afternoon games, under the direction of Miss Mabel Harris, were arranged for the children. Mrs. Palmer supplying the music.

A stall of miscellaneous articles and candy was in charge of Phyllis Beech and Ethel Barrow, and the ice cream stall in those of Jean Moutat and Pearl Garner.

The beautiful doll and cradle, which was raffled for the benefit of the nursery, which is the Guided ward in the Gulf Islands Hospital, realized \$17, and was won by Peggy Moutat. The cradle was donated and made by Mrs. Charlesworth; the doll was donated by Violet Akerman and dressed by Dorothy Akerman. Violet Akerman acted as secretary.

Traffic was in the hands of Annie Allen and helpers. The prizes were presented by the president of the Guides, Mrs. V. C. Best, the following being the winners: Francis Crofton, Hindoo; W. Tweedhope, old-fashioned lady; Nancy Baker, daffodil; S. Lunelly, fairy; Tod Inghis, Indian chief; Daisy Evans, hob; Ganes Young, Order of the Bath; Athol Cropper, chorister. Special prizes were awarded to

Magistrate: "But if you were doing no wrong, why did you run when the officer approached you?"

Prisoner: "I thought that 'e wanted to try to sell me a ticket for the policemen's annual concert."

—From The Humourist, London.

Bunty and Kenrick Price as Dutch girl and boy.

The judges were Mrs. T. F. Speed, Mrs. A. Elliott and Miss Cameron.

Others in fancy dress were Winifred Morris, Bo Peep, Sheila Hall, modern girl; Maureen Seymour, cupid; Peggy Tweedhope, Red Riding Hood; Lucy Burckett, apple blossom; Ida Dewhurst, nurse; Muriel Dewhurst, milk maid; Helen Moorhouse, tennis; Jack Smith, cowboy; Donald Corbett, flapper; Joyce Robinson, tulip; Brian Inglis, clown; Dorothy Moutat, old fashioned boy; Joyce Bowden, patches; Marion Norton, May queen; Elvera Nelson, doll; Dennis Inglis, Charlie Chaplin; Wiggie Springfield, Chinese, and others.

Girls Basketball Team Receives Institute Trophy

METCHOSIN, May 6.—Friday afternoon there was an interesting ceremony at the Luxton and Happy Valley School, when the challenge cup, donated by the local Women's Institute, was presented to the Luxton and Happy Valley girls' basketball team.

Mrs. D. Welch, president of the institute, gave an address on the subject of basketball. The school team was congratulated upon the good spirit with which they had won the cup.

Mr. Hankin, secretary of the school board, thanked the institute and other speakers were made by Mr. Bruce for the Colwood School, Mr. Morrow and Mrs. J. Stockand.

GANGES ATHLETIC CLUB IS FORMED

GANGES, May 6.—A public meeting was held at Ganges Social Club on Tuesday, April 29, for the purpose of forming the Ganges Athletic Club.

The aim of this organization is to promote all branches of athletic activity. The meeting was well attended, and the following officials were elected: President, Mr. W. P. Evans; vice-president, Mr. C. Aubrey; secretary-treasurer, Mr. L. Jenkins.

The committee elected to take charge of the club's activities were: Track and field work, Mr. L. Nichols; swimming, Mr. J. Akerman; boxing, Mr. L. Moutat. At the conclusion of the meeting it was decided to hold a sports day at Ganges on July 1.

A sailor attended a race meeting and put a good sum on a rank out side for one of the events. It rained home an easy winner at 100 to 1. When he went to the bookmaker for his money he did not get an enthusiastic reception.

"But what beats me," said the man, as he counted out a wad of notes, "is what caused you to back this blinking horse."

"Well, it was like this," said the sailor. "You see, my ship's the Il-justrious, and as I saw there was a horse of that name running I thought I'd have a bit on it."

"Oh, that's it, is it?" said the bookie. "Then I wish you had been a sailor on the Titanic."

New Fashions Make Modern Young Lady Quick Change Artist

LONDON, May 6.—Quick change costumes are the feature of the fashion parades which have started in London recently. A woman must be a duchess at night. During the day, demure little navy blue frocks with short capes or boleros, and lingerie collars and cuffs, will reign supreme.

In the evening the fashionable young lady must change her entire outlook on life by donning one of the new touch-the-sky gowns with their long trains at the back.

The fashion parades in London began a few weeks ago with a series of dress tea and cocktail parties. They are now in full swing, six days a week. It seems that as well as changing the existing mode, women shall be forced to change both their walk and their deportment.

A feature of a show in a Mayfair salon was a red evening frock with what looked like a bolero, in front of the bodice, but ended in a long scarf at the back. It caused quite a sensation. The daytime frocks are generally tweed, with lingerie collars and cuffs, with coats of heavier weight to go with them.

The rage this Spring is for tweeds. It is even being used to fashion the boys and fringes on silk and crepe de Chine. Many of the frocks shown had short tweed jackets to go with them.

In the line of millinery, experts have decided that the modern miss shall wear a distinctive bonnet with a name attached to it. One little shanting motoring hat which was hard-wearing and unsuitable, was given the name, "Step on it." Another little mauve affair, suitable for the restaurant, bore the name, "Two of us."

As soon as the young lady dons her sport clothes, she becomes the easy-going semi-masculine lady so popular in the last few years. Sport clothes are essentially the same, short and free.

On the whole, fashion has never been so democratic as it is today. It is going to keep the fashionable miss busy to keep up with it.

FRIENDLY HELP BODY MEETS

Many Applications Are Still Made for Relief—Call for Assistance Considerable

Mrs. Cullum, president, presided at the meeting of the Friendly Help Association, held in rooms, Market Building, yesterday. There were twelve members present, including Alderman Woodward and Alderman Adam, representing the city.

During the month of April 150 cases, representing 500 persons, were assisted. Eighty-four had groceries; twenty-one had fuel (eleven coal and ten wood); fifty-seven had milk daily; fifty-four had meat more than once, and one pair of children's new shoes bought. From cases: Fifty-four gaily clothed; seventy-six got provisions as buns, eggs, jam, rolled oats, chocolate eggs, sandwiches, cake, bread, rice, rhubarb, potatoes and dripping; six got sundries as stove, bed, mattresses, toys, child's chairs, curtains, etc., and one family got a goat.

Above cases consisted of sixty-eight families, nineteen couples, sixteen widows with children, ten widows, three brothers and sisters, twenty-four lone men, nine's deserving wives with children, and one out of town.

Easter gifts given out were ninety-seven buns and twenty-five dozen eggs. Many families enjoyed these and were most grateful. The committee would thank the kind friends who contributed so liberally, and so relieve the situation.

The call for assistance is still great, but it is hoped as Spring work opens up men will get employment, and so relieve the situation. The Friendly Help funds are extremely low, so cash donations will be most appreciated and thankfully received.

The secretary-treasurer was instructed to write a letter of congratulation to Mrs. McManus, a member of the board, on her reelection as president of the Catholic Women's League.

The next regular meeting of the association will be held on Tuesday, June 10, as the first Tuesday of the month will be the King's Birthday.

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—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

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Linens

Bleached and Unbleached Pure Linen Damask. 54 inches wide. Yard, 98c

Napkins to match. Per dozen.....\$2.95, \$3.50 and.....\$3.95

—Staples, Main Floor

Sofa Cushions

Fancy Sofa Cushions of floral satens, Each, 75c

Black Velvet Chesterfield Cushions with colored metallic designs. Price, each.....\$2.49

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300 Pairs of Mercerized Lisle Hose, neatly fashioned, with hemmed garter tops. Nude, pearl blush, champagne, French nude, aluminum, black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Regular 49c for.....\$3.95

430 Pairs of Thread Silk Hose, silk to garter hem, narrowed ankles and feet and reinforced square heels. Many shades, including black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Special, a pair.....\$3.95

580 Pairs of Silk Hose, slightly imperfect; a dependable make; semi-service and service-weight Hose with square and slendo heels. A great choice of shades, also black and white. Values to \$1.95 for.....\$1.00

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Sleeveless Dresses

Of Spun Silk and Rayon Silk

Smart New Styles

\$3.95

A selection of very neat and smart Dresses, some with V neck, piping and tie, others with collars. Skirts flare or with front pleats and narrow belts. Shades are blue, lemon, rose, pink, peach, green, mauve, blonde and white. Each.....\$3.95

—Main Floor, 1st Floor

Reversible Wool Rugs

Rugs in new colors, superior in quality. New designs. Ideal bedroom rugs.

24 x 48 inches.....\$4.50

30 x 60 inches.....\$6.50

4 ft. x 7 ft.....\$15.00

—Rugs, Main Floor

Swiss Lace Curtains

A Pair, \$3.75

Embroidered Swiss Lace Curtains, 2½ yards long, of fine Brussels net. On sale, a pair.....\$3.75

—Drapery Dept., 2nd Floor

The New "Keith" Fur Felt Hats

In Smart New Styles for Men and Young Men.....\$5.00

We have just received our early Summer stock of these ultra stylish Hats for men, in which the favorite shades of chamois and white pearl are well represented. The felt is of very fine texture, possessing a pleasing softness but firm enough to assure continued shapeliness. Both snap and bound brims are shown, with bands to please everyone, with bow at back. The greatest hat value of the season.....\$5.00

—Hats, Main Floor

Men's Shirts, Today \$1.00 Each

Negligee Shirts of broadcloth, patterned with stripes on white ground. Separate collar and double cuffs. On sale, each.....\$1.00

Men's Work Shirts with collar and pocket; fancy checks and plain shades. All sizes. Each.....\$1.00

—Men's Purchasing, Main Floor

Bargains in Sheets and Sheetting

Mill ends of Bleached Sheetting in useful lengths for single, three-quarter and double beds. Per yard.....45c

Unbleached Sheets that wear well and launder nicely. Sizes 80 x 90 inches and 70 x 90 inches. Per pair.....\$2.00

Pillow Cases to match. Per pair.....48c

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The Smartest Styles in Women's White Kid Shoes

On Sale on the Bargain Highway This Morning

White Washable Kid d'Orsay Pumps with either spike or Cuban heels, Strap Shoes with buckle or button fastening, several styles in Tie Shoes and T-Strap Sandals. All priced at,